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JOHN PHŒNIX IN BOSTON.

The Knickerbocker of February contains a letter from JOHN PHŒNIX, written in Boston, which is, in a very extensive sense of the word—rich:

Letter to the Editor: From John Phœnix.

"It is Sunday in Boston. I have been sitting in my room, No. 78 Tremont House, by the window, which commands a cheerful view of a grave yard, musing on various matters and things in a solemn state of mind well befitting the place and the occasion. Seventeen inches of snow fell last night, and Boston looks white like the Island of Ichabod, and to be full as desolate. Through the hollow and reverberating passages of this ancient building; around the corners of the sinuous streets; from each door and window, in every private and public building, and from the houses of God, resounds the peculiar sharp hacking cough of the population of Boston. Every soul of them has it. It is the disease of the country. When I meet an acquaintance in the street, I abstain from the usual greeting, and invariably say, 'How is your cough?' and the reply invariably is, 'About the same.'—Coughing, and the ancient pastime of hawking, (followed by expectoration,) are the principal amusements in this cold city. In the grave yard beneath my window, on a slate tombstone, may be found, I am informed, the following touching inscription:

'Here I lie bereft of breath,
Because a cough carried me off,
Then a coffin, they carried me off in.'

which, I doubt not describes the case of the majority of the silent incumbents of that place of rest.

"The Tremont House is in many respects a good institution; it is perfectly clean and well arranged, the attendance is good and the fodder excellent; but there is an indescribable air of gloom and solemnity pervades the entire establishment well suited to Boston, but chilling to a stranger to the last degree. The waiters, dressed in black with white neckcloths, move silently and sadly about the tables, looking like so many Methodist ministers with thirteen children, four hundred a year, and two donation parties; the man in the office never smiles—in any point of view; a large Bible with the name of the House stamped upon it in gilt letters, (to prevent religious strangers from bottling it,) lies on every table, and the chambermaids attend family prayers in the basement. All is 'grand, gloomy,' and it must be confessed exceedingly peculiar. I have attempted but two jokes in this solemn place, and they fell like the flakes of snow, silent and unnoticed. An unfortunate individual in the reading-room last evening was seized with an unusually violent fit of coughing, which, if a man could by any possibility be turned inside out, would have done it; and as a partial cessation of it occurred, with his hair standing on end, (he had coughed his hat off,) his face glowing with exertion, and the tears standing in his unhappy eyes, he very naturally gave vent to a profane execration. Everybody looked shocked! I remarked in an audible tone to my companion that the exclamation was a cofferdam; an admirable contrivance for raising obstructions from the bottom of streams, and probably adopted by the gentleman to clear his throat; but no one laughed, and I incontinently went to bed. This morning on arising I discovered that my boots, left outside the door to be embellished with blacking, had, like those of Bombastes, not been displaced; so I said to the porter, a man of grave and solemn aspect: 'You have a very honest set of people about this house.' 'Why?' said the porter with a somewhat startled expression. 'Because,' I rejoined, 'I left my boots outside my door last night, and find this morning no one has touched them.' That man walked off all slow and stately, and never knew that I had been humorous. Disappointments have been my lot in life. I remember in early childhood going to the theatre to see Mrs. W. H. Smith appear in two pieces; the bills said she would do it, and she came on the stage perfectly whole and entire like any other lady. Upon the whole it is my impression that Boston is a dull, gloomy, precise and solemn city, which I take to be owing entirely to the intense cold that prevails there in the winter, which chills and freezes up the warmer nature of the inhabitants, who don't have time to get thawed out before the cold comes back again. I have met many Bostonians in more genial climates, who appeared to be very hearty and agreeable fellows. I took a short ride yesterday in the Metropolitan Railroad cars, which are dragged by horse-power from the Tremont House to Roxbury. The only other occupant of my car was a young and lovely female in deep mourning. She wore a heavy black veil, and her thick and beautiful auburn hair was gathered up on each side of her face, beneath a spotless cap, a widow's cap of snowy muslin. I had always a feeling for widows; young and pretty widows particularly, always excite my deepest interest and sympathy. I gazed with moistened eye on the sweet specimen before me, so young, so beautiful, I thought, and alas! what suffering she has experienced. I pictured to myself her devotion to her husband during his last illness, the untiring watchfulness with which she hung over his pillow, the unwearying and self-sacrificing spirit with which she hoped on, hoped ever, till in despite of her care, her love, he sank forever, and her agonized shriek rang in my ear, as with hands clasped and upturned eye, she felt that he was dead, her dream of life was over, her strength was gone, her heart was broken. The young widow had been regarding me earnestly during this time, and probably imagined what was passing in my mind, for throwing her veil over her hat, she turned partly around toward me, and looking steadfastly in my face—she winked her eye! Yes, Sir, she winked her eye at *me*—the moral Phœnix; and I arose from my ashes and left the Metropolitan car and returned to the Tremont House. And is it possible, thought I, as I gazed from my window up Tremont street and observed a sanctimonious gentleman in a long, black overcoat, look hastily up and down the street, and then dodge up a small alley, in great haste; is it possible that this little widow in the car is at all typical of the great city to which she belongs? A most respectable, staid, and solemn outward appearance—covering a very strong disposition to that deviltry which is defined by the Bible as 'the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eye, and the pride of life.' But Boston, clothed in its robe of snow, looked too pure, too bride-like, and I dismissed the supposition from my mind.

"They don't have theatrical performances in Boston on Saturday evenings; the theatres open at 3 o'clock P. M., and the performance is over at six. Thalberg was allowed to give a concert here last evening, however. He was practicing a little this morning also on the piano, when a message came from a serious family in the next room begging him not to play dancing tunes. He did'nt.

"I had intended to have written to you more at length, but am off to New Orleans directly, and must pack my trunk. Boston is a great place. I am sorry I had'nt time to go and see the Monastery presided over by Abbot Lawrence, that was burned by the Orangemen.

Yours truly and respectfully,
'JOHN PHŒNIX."

From the probable Proceedings of the Scientific Association in the year 5856.

Speculations on a Fossil Female Dress

The being to whom this attire belonged must have been constituted in a very peculiar manner, and probably with some strange natural defects which it required art to remedy. Allowing some space for the principal exterior robe to sweep clear of the ground, the length would have been about seven feet. The diameter of the creature in the centre was in singular disproportion to this longitude, being only seven and a half. Still more disproportionate appear to have been the anterior extremities, which were not above a foot and a half in length, and what is remarkable, while narrow at the top, seem to have expanded below to an enormous size. Probably they resembled paddles, rather than arms and hands. The vertebral column seems to have been weak and insufficient, a rigid case of buckram and whalebone being required in that region to give support to the body. But for this, the ordinary altitude would probably have been prone, like that of an insect. The most remarkable peculiarity, is the size and form of the head. The bonnet indicates a *creature almost entirely destitute of brains.* The head must have been a mere knob at the head of the cervical column—such an encephalon as would be represented by that of a female of our race at a very early stage of its developments. In this respect the creature reminds us of the class *Aves*—above all, the Alcidæ or Auke, which are recognized as amongst the most stupid of all creatures of that grade. Another peculiarity, taken in connection with the above, has induced certain of the examiners to surmise that the creature was really connected with the natatorial birds. This is a vesture composed of an air-tight integument, which the creature could inflate at pleasure, as some of the cephalopodouse mollusks of an earlier era could do with the air-cells in their shells, so as not merely to float on the water, but adjust the depth of the water at which they desired to float. Thus, with so long and slender a figure, so weak a spine, so small a head and an arrangement for floating on the ocean, the female of the past race of mankind would appear to have been altogether a singular anomaly in creation.

A 'SLEDDING' REMINISCENCE.

On a winter's night, when the moon shone bright,
And the snow was crusted o'er,
With a maid as fair as seraphs are,
I slid from a hill down lower.
Ere we reached the base, like a horse on a race,
Our swift gliding sled careened,
And with tresses fair streaming back on the air,
Sweet Sally *went end over end!*

AN old man, with a rag-bag in his hand and no small amount of wit in his head, when picking up a large number of pieces of whalebone in the street one morning, was asked how he thought it came there? 'Don't know,' he quaintly replied, 'but I 'spect some unfortunate female was wrecked hereabouts last night.'

BABY PLEDGE.—A few days ago, in San Francisco, a woman wishing to move to another house, was stopped by the landlord, to whom she was indebted $25 for rent. Not having the money, she left her infant with him as a pledge for the debt, since which she has not been heard of. The landlord is getting tired of his charge.

A STRANGE POSTCRIPT.—A merchant who died suddenly, left in his desk a letter written to one of his correspondents. His sagacious clerk, a son of Erin, seeing it necessary to send the letter, wrote at the bottom: "Since writing the above I have died."

Benefits grow old betimes; but injuries are long livers.

Darkey Sermon.

It has been observed that the darkey population like strong medicines and big doses for their bodily complaints, and I suppose it's according to the same rule that they reckon most highly those preachers who get on Bible steam up to the top of the register, and tie down the safety-valve:

"Cut down an' cass into de fiah," roared the preacher from New York, as we quietly stole on to the portico and sat down. "Yes, my Crestian frens, and de barren fig-tree won't be de *only* tree dat'll be cut down and cass into de fiah in dem days. Der'll be a gwine into timber sitch as you neber *did* see—a sawin' off o' branches, and a choppin' up o' back logs, and a bustin' up de ole stumps wid powder, bark scalin' off, and de chips a-flyin' in a way dat'll trimble and skeerify de most owdacious sinnas in de flock ob Zion. Dar's many and many a tree, my bred'ren, dat'll find itself split-wood den, dat used to tink itself too fine fur enny thing but to grow up putty, to look at, or may be a shilter fur all sorts of carniverus sins—as de Scripture says dey sinned in all de high ole places, and under ebery green tree.

"*Who* is de sinna dat'll be cut up in dose days fur kinlins, and set fiah to de fust and burn, and burn, and burn wid de eberlastin' brimstone match at de bottom ob de heap? Whar is de sinna? whar is de mountain whar he spread forf his wings and spread his branches and leefs to de rain dat fall on de just and unjust, just as it happen to come? My bredren, it's de pine tree dat grows de highest, and holes his head up de wainest—de pine tree dat looks 'zactly like de Trinty steeple opp'site Wall street, and de little steeple up an' down Fif Avenue, and in all de fash'nable plumendes. Dem's de pine-trees, my bredren, dat grows out a mity poor sile, ef it *has* got de gole duss in it, and ef it does git so stuck-up dat it can't see de weeds it used to keep cumpany wid when it was a little saplin.—*Dem's* de trees dat's orful *soft in de grain*, ef dey is white, and delikit, and, *dem's* de trees dat'll be rolled ober fur kinlins whareber dey grows, ef it fall toward de souf, or ef it fall toward ne norf, fur in de place whar de tree fall dar it shill be.

"But *who* is de sinnah dat'll be cut up in dose days wen de wood-man cums along wid de axt ob judgment and ob de 'possels? Dere's many a tuff ole tree, my bredren, dat grows jiss as it pleases all fru life, and bleeves it wus predustynated fur nuffin else but to make nice timber uf; and I must allow, bredren, dat some ob dem tuff ole trees dus make putty good timber arter all—precious fur axt handles and whipstocks—but arter a while de axt handles break and de whip-stocks git cracked and de timber is burned, and den de crooked part ob de tree what was left, is hunted up and cass into de fiah, fur in dat day it shill be as a fussakin bough and an uppermose branch which dey left because ob de children ob Isrel, and dar shill be deselation.

"But *who* is de sinnah dat'll be cut up in dose days and roll into de furnis ob raff and hab de dore shut and de draff turned on wid de ole poker ob wengence stirren him ober and ober and ober? What is de tree dat grows by de riber-side, and bleeves it aint no count less it gits dipt in de water and puts all its fafe in washin—like de new-fashioned doctor fokes dat cures ebery ting wid baff tubs, and wet rags, and spackins? Dar'll be a time, my bredren, when de water 'll be wantin' to dat tree, when de twigs 'll go off like shavens under de grate, and de fiah will consume it utterly, fur all de trees ob de feel shill know dat de high tree has been brought down, and dried up de green tree, and made de dry tree to florish.

"But *who* is de sinnah dat'll be forgiven and made into precious furnitur dat'll be kep furever unbroken and set up in de parler? Not de pine tree ob pride, nur de hickary ob stubberness, nur de willer-tree ob de waters dat weeps fur nuffin, wurl widout end. No, my Crestian frens, it's de beautiful ebeny—de dark wood dat neber gits cass into de fiah—and de fine black walnut, and de dark complected ceder, and de African pam. Dem's de sort dat you neber see split into kinlins, fur its de kind dat de true beliebers is made uf, and de righteous shill florish like de pam tree, he shall grow like de cedar in Libinum. Amen!"—*Knickerbocker.*

The Model Husband.

The Model husband allows his wife to empty his peckets every night. He comes back from the first corner to lace his wife's stays for her. He drags the baby around on all possible occasions, and to all possible distances. He is not ashamed to be seen going home with a chunk of liver in one hand and a string of onions in the other. He always goes out on the back stoop to smoke and he never steps his foot in the parlor except on special invitation of his spouse. He always comes in and out the back way, and reverently scrapes his feet winter and summer. He goes to the pump at a late hour of night for a pitcher of water, (the servant, poor thing, being tired, 'doing up those laces.) He never invites any one to his house and never gets acquainted and, is not allowed to speak with the gentlemen who call upon his wife. He gets up at all hours of the night, without a pang, to put fresh coal on the fire, or to dump the grate. He never has a night key, and if he comes to his house after nine o'clock at night, he roosts retributively on the front steps until morning. When he carves he never keeps the side bone or a second joint, for himself, but gratefuly takes what is left. He slaves all day the year around for three very indifferent meals daily, and the privilege of paying all the bills. He goes without suspender buttons for months, and fastens up his wristbands with pins and skewers. He never talks to his wife's female acquaintances in a low tone, and would consider himself guilty of high treason should he presume to wink at a lady's pretty maid. He sees his children growing up around him defiant of himself, nor bashfully dares to hint that strapping Bob is big enough to do something for himself. He dies, having lived fruitlessly, and a slave to whims and woman, and is consoled as he bashfully draws his breath in the presence of his wife, by the affectionate remark that "*we'er all poor critters*".—*Buffalo Register.*

Professional Cards.

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MERRITT & DEERING,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
OFFICE ON MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.
ALEX. DEERING, Notary Public. no19-tf

NICHOLAS CLEARY,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,
MARIPOSA, CAL.
OFFICE—East side of Main street, between Fourth and Fifth streets. jan9 tf

HENRY G. WORTHINGTON,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,
Office in Fremont's Adobe Building, Corner of Charles and Fifth Streets, opposite Post Office, Mariposa, California. jy18tf

S. B. ALLISON. B. B. HARRIS
ALLISON & HARRIS,
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Office on Main street, between 4th and 5th, Mariposa. jy12 tf

R. H. DALY,
ATTORNEY AND NOTARY PUBLIC,
Mariposa. jy12-tf

I. G. BOYCE,
ATTORNEY AT LAW
HORNITAS, MARIPOSA CO., CAL.
Will attend to all business entrusted to his care, in the Courts of the Thirteenth Judicial District, promptly. d3t

L. W. TALBOTT,
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MERCED COUNTY,
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Aug. 8, 1856. au8tf.

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MILLERTON, FRESNO COUNTY,
Will pay strict attention to all business entrusted to his charge. o29tf

J. CHAPMAN,
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HORNITAS, MARIPOSA COUNTY.
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HENRY ALDRICH,
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,
MERCED COUNTY, TOWNSHIP NO. 4.
☞ OFFICE—At the County Seat. f6-3m

ALFRED F. WASHBURN,
Justice of the Peace for Township No. 3.
Office in Mariposa. Jul. 12-1y

J. S. WATTS,
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE FOR TOWNSHIP NO. 3.
Office on Main Street, Mariposa,
2 DOORS BELOW THE POST OFFICE.
ap4-tf

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BLEDSOE & WALTON,
Attorneys At Law,
.... AND ....
GENERAL COLLECTING AND LAND AGENTS,
CITY OF AUSTIN, TEXAS,
Will promptly and faithfully attend to all business entrusted to their care, particularly the collection of debts, locating of lands, perfecting land titles, paying taxes, buying and selling lands, &c. One of the firm will always be found at their office, No. 6, Bois d'Arc street.
Austin, Texas, Jan. 25, 1856. m2-tf

DR. THOMAS PAYNE,
OFFICE—In Dr. A. D. Boyce's Drug Store, opposite the Yo Semite Hotel.
MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.
Where he can be consulted at all hours. n19

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Mariposa. Oct 27-1y

Dr. W. S. Kavanaugh,
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PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
IS now prepared to attend to all calls in the Profession.
Office, corner of Sixth and Main street, Mariposa. augs-tf.

Dr. A. J. Lasseter,
PHYSYCIAN AND SURGEON,
LOWER AGUA FRIO.
☞ Office, first door below Whittier's Hotel. ☜
Dr. L. will devote his assiduous attention to the examination and treatment of such cases and disorders as may be brought to his notice. Personal attendance will be given in any part of the county, on short notice, when required.
A new stock of Medicines, pure and fresh, just received.
Agua Frio, April 1st, 1856. ap4-tf

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DENTIST.
Main Street, Mariposa.
Formerly of Philadelphia, Penn., is permanently located in Mariposa, having a comfortable and convenient Office, Next door to the Pacific Express, with all the necessary Instruments and appliances, will do any kind of work that pertains to the profession of Dentistry, in a manner which shall give entire satisfaction, o the money refunded.
Artificial Teeth inserted on Gold Plate or on Pivot, as the case may require. Teeth Plaged with pure gold, or Extracted. Childrens' Teeth regulated when necessary, and all diseases of the gums treated—the most of which are called Scurvey of the gums. Cure or no pay.
Cloroform administered if desired. Terms reasonable. Examinatiou free. Jy. 11th, 1856-tf

DR. H. J. PAINE,
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Of the firm of PAINE & BEERS, San Francisco, has the pleasure to announce to the citizens of Hornitas, Quartzburg, and vicinity, that he will attend to all calls in his profession. Having, during an extensive practice of seventeen years, made many improvements in the Dental Art, and assisted materially in bringing it to its present high state of perfection, he feels warranted in saying to all those wishing Dental Operations performed, or Artificial Teeth inserted on fine gold plate, that his work cannot be excelled in the United States.
Terms moderate. Consultations free.
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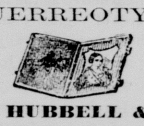
MIDWIFE.
THE undersigned, a graduate of the Medical College of Lausanne, Switzerland, offers her services as Midwife, to the Ladies of Mariposa County.
Residence at B. Bonnet's Store Carson's Creek.
LOUISE RAPIN.
Carson's Creek, January 2, 1857. jy2-3m

Mariposa Advertisements.

DAGUERREOTYPES!!



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ARE PREPARED TO TAKE DAGUERREOTYPES and AMBROTYPES at all times, in accordance with the latest improvements in the art.
Office first door below Merritt & Deering's Law Office.

SADDLERY
..AND..
HARNESS SHOP.
M. GOODMAN, & CO.
THE proprietors are prepared to execute every description of work in the above line of business. The best of leather for the manufacture of *HARNESS, SADDLE LEATHER, &c.* always on hand.
SADDLE TREES
of the most approved patterns, kept and for sale, and will be fitted up to suit the taste of purchasers.

GOODMAN & HUBBELL,
GUN SMITHS,
At the old stand of J. N. Thomas.
GUNS RE-STOCKED, REPAIRED IN EVERY PART AND IN THE BEST MANNER.
MR. GOODMAN will devote particular attention to the
Re-Cutting and Re-Sighting of Rifles,
and from much experience in this line he is enabled to guarantee satisfaction.
PISTOLS of every description, and SHOT GUNS repaired at short notice, and work warranted.
Mariposa, Nov. 19, 1856. no19-3m

REMOVAL.
Wholesale and Retail
DRY GOODS
— AND —
CLOTHING ESTABLISHMENT,
MARIPOSA.
Cohen, Samuels & Co.,
Have Removed to their New Fire Proof Brick Building, a few Doors North of their old Store.
The undersigned beg leave to inform the citizens of Mariposa and vicinity, that we have opened and will always keep on hand a large assortment of
SILKS, EMBROIDERIES,
STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS.
LADIES, MISSES AND CHILDRENS'
SHOES, GAITERS AND SLIPPERS.
Also, a full assortment of finest and best
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS
And a good supply of
BILLIARD CLOTHS,
MINERS' CLOTHING:
Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, which we offer for sale at the lowest market prices to those who will favor us with their patronage. We respectfully invite the Ladies and Gentlemen to call at our Store and examine our Goods before purchasing elsewhere, as it will be no trouble to show goods, so call and see. COHEN, SAMUELS & CO.
N. B. Gold Dust taken in exchange at the highest prices.
P. S. We have established a store at Agua Frio, where the same kind of goods will be sold, and the same advantages afforded to purchasers as in Mariposa. C. S. & Co. sep17-tf

NEW GOODS!
N. COHN & CO.,
ARE receiving a Fresh Stock from San Francisco, consisting in part of
HARDWARE;
WALL PAPER;
LAMPS OF ALL KINDS;
CAMPHINE and OIL;
REAL HAVANA SEGARS;
TOBACCO, Choicest Brands;
BOOKS, NOVELS;
STATIONERY, &c., &c.
And a heavier stock of
FANCY GOODS
than has ever before been offered in this market.
☞ These Goods were purchased under the supervision of Mr. Cohn, and will be sold LOW FOR CASH.
Mariposa, January 30, 1857. ja30-3m

BAKERY,
CONFECTIONARY,
....AND....
COFFEE STAND!
Main Street, Mariposa, adjoining the El Dorado Saloon.
THE proprietors of the above establishment would respectfully inform the citizens of Mariposa and the public generally, that they have established themselves in the above business, and are now prepared to supply all who may favor them with a call, with
The Best Bread and Confectionaries.
Connected with the above business, they have fitted up a COFFEE SALOON, where can be had at all hours THE VERY BEST COFFEE.
WEDDING PARTIES AND BALLS furnished at the shortest possible notice, and on reasonable terms.
They solicit a share of public patronage.
L. KNOBLE,
G. KRAFFT.
Mariposa, December 3, 1856. d3-tf

Furniture and Bedding
MANUFACTORY & STORE.
CHARLES STURCKE begs leave to announce to his friends and the public, that he has established himself in the above line of bussness
On Main street, nearly opposite McNamara & Crippen's.
Where he is prepared to execute all orders that he may be favored with, at short notice, and in the most satisfactory manner.
A large assortment of FURNITURE and BEDDING will always be kept on hand.
Old Furniture repaired, upholstered and varnished, in a manner to renew the strength, and appearance, at reasonable prices.
Mattrasses and Pillows, of all sizes and qualaties, Made to order. Also—Wood Carving done.
☞ BILLIARD TABLES repaired and leveled, and NEW CUSHIONS made to order.
The undersigned will endeavor to merit, and hopes to receive a share of the public patronage.
Most respectfully, CHARLES STURCKE.
Mariposa, March 6th 1856. tf

GEORGE E. GARDNER,
BOOKS AND STATIONERY,
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MARIPOSA.

Hotels, Saloons, &c,

FRANKLIN HOUSE,
RE-OPENED!
G. W. WARNER, Proprietor.
THE ABOVE HOTEL has recently been Refurnished in a style inferior to none in this vicinity, and is now open for the reception and entertainment of the public.
TRAVELERS may be assured of superior accommodations, and particular attention upon the part of those connected with the establishment.
THE TABLE.
BOARDERS will find the TABLE spread with the luxuries of the season, and in a manner to satisfy the most fastidious.
THE BAR,
Will at all times be furnished with the best of WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS. An experienced Bar keeper will be in attendance.
☞ A. N. FISHER & Co.'s LINE OF STAGES stop here; and information will be given of different routes of travel, and of localities in this section of the country, to which the attention of the public is respectfully invited.
Mariposa, December 26, 1856. de26-tf

UNION HOUSE!
FRANK WILLIAMS.....PROPRIETOR.
On 5th Street, next Building to the "Old Fremont" Adobe, on the corner of 5th and Main Streets,
☞ MARIPOSA. ☜
THE undersigned, formerly of the "Franklin House," has opened a Hotel under the above name and location.
ACCOMMODATIONS FOR FAMILIES,
PRIVATE PARLORS, AND ROOMS,
A GOOD TABLE AND BEDS,
and assiduous attention from the Proprietor and others connected with the House.
This Hotel is in a retired and pleasant place, free from the noise, confusion, and dust of Main street.
Attached to this establishment is a good STABLE where animals will be well attended to.
FRANK WILLIAMS.
sep29 tf

PHILLIP'S HOTEL!
☞ MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA. ☜
Refitted and Refurnished Throughout!
—o—
MR. PHILLIPS, who has had much experience in the above line of business, as the Proprietor of one of the first Hotels in Mariposa, has made preparations for the wants of the traveling community at his Hotel.
An excellent TABLE, under the supervision of his Lady—and the best of BEDS and FURNISHED ROOMS, always to be had.
☞ Polite attention will always be given, and charges reasonable.
Mariposa, March 18, 1856. m21tf

HORNITAS HOTEL!
HORNITAS, MARIPOSA COUNTY,
W. G. GOSS, Proprietor.
THIS HOTEL is now in excellent condition for the accommodation of Travelers. The TABLE will be spread with the best the market affords. The BAR stocked with the choicest of Liquors.
☞ A careful attention to the wants of guests will be given by all connected with the house.
Hornitas, August 28, 1856. au29-tf

CITY HOTEL,
COULTERVILLE.
GEORGE COUNTS, Proprietor.
THIS HOTEL is in comfortable order for the entertainment of the public. In connection with the Hotel is the large and
New Livery Stable
of Mr. Thomas Scott.
☞ Careful attention will be given to the wants of both man and beast.
Coulterville, Sept. 4, 1856. s5-tf

WHITTIER'S HOTEL!
Agua Frio, Mariposa Co.
THIS HOTEL is now open for the reception of the public, the accommodations of which are not inferior to those of any Hotel in the County.
THE TABLE will be spread with the best, the market affords.
THE BAR is stocked with the choicest of Liquors and Cigars.
A BILLIARD TABLE is attached to the establishment, which is one of the best tables in the County.
A STABLE is likewise attached to the House, and careful attention will be given to the wants of animals, by an experienced hostler.
JOSEPH H. WHITTIER, Proprietor.
Agua Frio, December 2, 1856. d3-tf

OAK HOTEL AT MILLERTON!
M'CRAY & CO.
THE PROPRIETORS would announce to the public that they have recently completed new and extensive additions to their HOTEL, and are now prepared to accommodate guests in every particular To their former establishment has been added a LARGE STONE BUILDING, furnished and fitted with whatever of conveniences a long experience in Hotel keeping could suggest.
Polite attention will at all times be given to the requirements of travelers and patrons.
Livery Stable.
The Proprietors also keep in connection with the above Hotel, a Livery Stable, where they have at all times HORSES TO LET, UNDER THE SADDLE, OR IN HARNESS, with Carriages and Buggies.
ANIMALS KEPT by the day, week or month, upon reasonable terms, and cared for as required by an experienced hostler.
ANIMALS RECEIVED AT ALL HOURS—day or night, upon application at the Stable, or at the Hotel.
Millerton, December 2, 1856. d3-tf

JOHN A. HORNNEBER.....HENRY LESMAN
LAGER BEER SALOON!
MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.
(*Next Door to the Brick Store of Cohen, Samuels & Co.*)
THE SUBSCRIBERS RESPECTFULLY inform the public that they have opened the above Saloon, and intend keeping constantly on hand the best quality of
San Francisco Lager Beer!
Together with the very best
WINES AND LIQUORS.
Also—CIGARS, the best that can be obtained in the San Francisco Market.
Their Saloon is fitted up in good style, and every attention will be paid to the accommodation of customers.
HORNBER & LESMAN.
Mariposa, Nov. 26, 1956. no26-3m.

BEAR VALLEY DEPOT!
R. W. HAMMATT.
Located at the Head of Bear Valley.
Has on hand one of the largest stocks of all kinds of GOODS, in common use, in Mariposa County. An enumeration of kinds or prices is unnecessary, for all are assured that they can be supplied in every respect, at low rates.
To Miners, whether in companies or otherwise, who are buying large lot of Provisions, his attention is especially directed.
A large train of Pack Mules are always in readiness to pack Goods to any part of the River, or to other places accessible to animals.
He also has a LIVERY STABLE, and can supply good animals for traveling to those in want. jl5-tf

THE GAZETTE.

INDEPENDENT IN ALL THINGS—NEUTRAL IN NOTHING.

L. A. HOLMES, Editor.

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FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 3, 1857.

JOB PRINTING.—We have just received a large lot of Job Type from San Francisco, and are prepared to do every description of Job Printing, in a superior manner, with despatch, and upon reasonable terms.

Daily Mail.

It has become indispensibly necessary that the People here should have a daily mail. This matter has been neglected too long already, and now that our increasing population and growing interests imperatively demand it, we should immediately act in the matter. The privilege will without doubt be readily accorded upon petition to the Post Office Department. The advantages which would accrue from this increase of Mail facilities, and the disadvantages under which we now labor, are too well understood to require much explanation in advocacy of this increase of postal accommodation.

The Stamp Act.

The already enormous debt of the State of California, and the probability, under the present system of management and with our ordinary sources of revenue, of its increase, has called the attention of the Legislature to the necessity of devising "ways and means" to meet the emergency. Among the measures which have been introduced for increasing our income, is Mr. Brent's bill, entitled "An Act imposing certain Stamp duties," which, if it becomes a law, ought to raise a revenue sufficient to meet the expenses of government, but with anything like economy and *honesty* in our State officials, it should do something towards diminishing the three million debt, which has brought us to the verge of repudiation, or the other *dread alternative*—reform.

The Bill provides that any foreign bill of exchange, draft, order, or letter of credit, shall be written upon stamped paper, upon which a duty shall be imposed in proportion to the value of the document. It also includes policies of assurance, licenses to practice, and certificates of admission of attorneys, granted by any Court in the State—passage tickets on any steamer, or vessel, leaving this State for any place out of the limits thereof. Promissory notes, bonds, or other writings for the payment of money, are also embraced in the bill, though at a rate of one half the duty imposed on foreign bills of exchange.

The Governor, Treasurer, and Secretary of State, are to constitute the Commissioners of Stamp duties, whose functions in relation to the safe keeping of the seals, issuing of the stamped paper, &c., are clearly defined.

Severe penalties are provided for the violation of any of the provisions of the Act, by attempting to defraud the State of any of the duties, by the use of counterfeit stamps; imprisonment for not more than seven years, and a fine not exceeding three thousand dollars, being the penalty for the offence.

The bill embraces in its provisions a species of property which has heretofore been exempt from taxation; and though, under ordinary circumstances, it would be considered unjust, or at least uncalled for, yet in the present condition of our finances, perhaps it would be difficult to devise any better plan.—*Desperate cases require desperate remedies.* The holders of real estate have been taxed about as heavily as they can stand. But two methods are left to extricate us from our financial embarrassments; viz: an increase of revenue, and a diminution of our expenses. Both are necessary, but either or both are useless, unless honest men are to have the handling of the funds. Should the Stamp Act become a law we have no doubt that it would meet the approbation of a majority of our people, despite its "odious name," and some objectionable features which it possesses, could the people have any assurance that the revenue derived therefrom would not be in great danger of being stolen.

Mining News.

We learn that Sullivan & Wilcox, the discoverers of the renowned Mullen's gulch lead, *alias* "Mugginsville Diggings," have lately struck a rich crevice, which our informant states is yielding an abundant harvest of Gold. Foran & Co., of the "Tunnelling &c. Company," are also doing well.

Below the Falls there are several companies who are taking out good pay. Dr. Bryan & Co., working in the Cañon immediately below the Falls, are making from $10 to an ounce a day. The claim of Jackson & Co., in the same neighborhood, still continues to pay.

Some new discoveries have lately been made on Wet gulch, by some of the persevering prospectors of that locality, which are said to be likely to prove remunerative.

Among the lucky ones we have heard the names of Haughton & Marshall, and Alexander & Co.

BEAR VALLEY.—We learn from a reliable source that this place shows signs of prosperity in various improvements, an increase of population, and plenty of the *circulating medium* among its inhabitants. Tens and twenties are said to be getting "*right thick*" among the natives in that region.

SPECIMEN.—A piece of gold weighing eleven ounces, and worth, it is said, one hundred and seventy-five dollars, was taken out of the claim owned by Col. Codman and W. Parker, at Upper Agua Frio, on the morning of the 1st of April. Such April fooling as that is rather pleasanter than some of the practical jokes played on "all fool's day.

BUCKEYE.—We learn that the miners on Buckeye are doing well. Appling & Co., and Jenkins & Co's. claims are paying from $10 to an ounce per day to the hand.

ELOPEMENT.—We are credibly informed that a young lady, the blooming daughter of an old and much respected citizen of this place, left town, in company with a gentleman, on Wednesday evening, at an hour and in a manner, thought not of by anxious relatives. The supposition is, that ere this, some minister, justice of the peace, or other dignitary, has made the twain one flesh. The alledged reason for this nocturnal *hegira* is, that the course of true love did'nt run smooth, owing to an outside pressure. This affair inaugurates a new era in matrimonial arrangements. There is nothing like having a little romance connected with taking a wife.

THE BALL ON WEDNESDAY EVENING.—The Ball of the Mariposa Brass Band came off on Wednesday evening. It was a very pleasant party, though small, which we much regret. The Band is made up of deserving young men, who have been to a great expense for instruments and instruction, and often favor the people of this town with excellent music. They should be patronized and encouraged. One reason for the small attendance is, that we have too many balls. People can't afford to attend all. They are depleting to the finances, and we rather think ruinous to the constitution, if we know ourselves.

What sacrifices will not young masculines make, in seeking calico, dimity, &c.? Think of a ball, tight coats, tight boots, white kids, awful dickeys, the great waste of ointment and the general distress of the occasion. Oh! my.

The *Mariposa Democrat* made its appearance on Wednesday morning last, under the editorial control of Warren Baer, Esq. It has its former neat appearance.

County-Making Again.

An attempt has recently been made in the Legislature to form a new County out of portions of San Joaquin and Calaveras counties, against the will, it is said, of a majority of the inhabitants of the above places, who have remonstrated against it. The facility with which old counties can be cut to pieces, and new ones manufactured, without the knowledge of a majority of those who are interested, is a piece of legerdemain, which if it were thoroughly exposed, we think would prove as interesting and instructive as the false-bottomed ballot boxes of Vigilance memory.

These schemes are generally concocted by some aspiring *young*, or broken down *old* politicians—who, too lazy to work, too cowardly to rob, and not smart enough to steal, are over anxious for the multiplication of counties, in order to create new offices that they are making arrangements to fill—hoping thereby to sponge their bread and butter off the dear people.

Their plans are generally laid in some dark corner, hole, or grocery, out of the way of the prying gaze of the world, and at the dead hour of midnight when honest men sleep. They are so skilfully and artfully laid, that citizens not in the secret have been known to go to sleep in an *old* county, and wake up the next morning and find themselves, contrary to their will, knowledge or consent, the citizens of a "bran new" one. People however are gradually waking to a knowledge of the fact that not only office *holders*, but office *seekers* will bear watching. We hope the day for springing deadfalls and man-traps of this kind, will soon pass away.

☞ Water, enough for mining purposes, has again become scarce. Sufficient showers, however, have fallen the past week to continue vegetation in rapid growth. Grains and grass look uncommonly well for the season, and the prospects for agricultural produce were never better.

Though the earth may yield to the reward of the farmer, ten fold, and yet his pecuniary benefits be small, for upon the prosperity of another interest, that of mining, not only the farming interest is dependent, but all other business, whether mechanical, mercantile, or professional.

The agricultural product may be increased infinitely, as the county has the capacity for it, but in order for it to be remunerative, it should not increase beyond the demand, which is limited almost entirely to this State. Farmers have, in this section of country, done well the past year, realizing good prices, but the present year the agricultural product will be much larger, while the demand cannot be much increased. A home market is the profitable one for the farmer.—Its creation and enlargement is of vital importance to producers of that which non-producing classes, such as before mentioned—the mercantile, mechanical and the professional—consume. The market of farmers here, is the demand of miners, to a very great extent; for included indirectly in that demand, is that of other classes, who wait upon, and are to some extent, necessary to a producing population. The miner digs the gold—physicians get a little for patching him up—lawyers considerable for helping him quarrel—and all the whole carnivorous crowd of non-producers manage to get sufficient pickings to keep body and soul together without manual labor. We have too many lawyers, too many doctors, printers, editors, loafers, &c.—enough for ten years without an importation.—They constitute a great warp, without sufficient filling of industrious laboring men. But we are digressing. How shall the market or demand be increased, so that farmers can readily sell that which they raise, and professional men get business and rewards, and mechanics full employment? Is it not by increasing the facilities for carrying on this great productive interest, mining, thereby securing large accessions to this class of population? Of others, we have enough, and more than enough.

Mining will not be prosperous until the introduction of water, and shall we, can we, have a ditch? What say you, farmers of Merced county, and all who have improvements and property in this section of country? Is there a man, either in Mariposa or Merced, but that could afford to pay 25 cents upon each dollar he is worth for its accomplishment?

BREACH OF PROMISE.—A German woman in San Francisco has commenced a suit against Henrich Von Seggern, for breach of promise of marriage. Seggern had written to the woman, requesting her to meet and marry him in Sonora; she complied with his request, when he backed out, and she went to law.

WELL TIMED.—Hearing that the prisoners in the county jail were actually suffering for food, the grand jury of San Francisco. Subscribed $5 each, and purchased them food.

CALIFRONIA LEATHER.—A cargo of leather from the Encinal Tannery, in Alameda county, has been shipped to New York, on board the Neptune's Car.

CALIFORNIA PIANO.—A German named Jacob Zeck, has recently completed the manufacture of a piano forte, in San Francisco, which was pronounced to be of excellent tone. It is the first one made in California.

HANGING.—We are informed by E. C. Bell, Esq., that one Jose Maria Egare was hung on last Friday, at Firebaugh's Ferry, San Joaquin river, for stealing horses of Mr. Peter Cock, who resides upon the Tuolumne river.

ATLANTIC NEWS.

By the arrival of the Mail Steamer we have received dates from New York to March 5th, and are enabled to place before our readers a brief summary of the news up to that date. The centre of attraction was, of course, the city of Washington, and the principal topic, the Inauguration of Mr. Buchanan, and the various festivities connected therewith.

In Congress considerable business of importance had been transacted. The Committee appointed to examine into the charges of corruption against certain members of the House, reported in favor of the expulsion of four of the number, viz: Messrs. Gilbert, Edwards, and Matteson of New York, and Welch of Connecticut. Edwards and Matteson, anticipating the action of the Committee, sent in their resignation.

A new Tariff bill reducing the revenue about $14,000,000, has been passed.

Bills appropriating $13,000,000 for the Army; $12,000,000 for the Navy; $1,500,000 for Steam Mail Lines; $2,000,000 for fortifications; and $5,000,000 for civil service, have been passed.

A memorial was presented for the establishment of a new Mail route across the Isthmus of Tehauntepec, which was referred to the Post Office Committee.

The Senate has passed the bill to expedite the Telegraph to the Pacific, appropriating $30,000 per annum, for ten years, for the establishment of the line.

The petition of twenty-two hundred of the "citizens of California," for the expulsion of Hon. P. T. Herbert, was laid on the table. Mr. Herbert remarked that as he was credibly informed the petition was got up by the Vigilance Committee, he looked upon it as a compliment from that quarter.

A bill authorizing the people of Minnesota to form a Constitution and State Government, was passed.

A new treaty has been formed with the Mexican Government—one of the features of which is a loan from the United States of $15,000,000, out of which $3,000,000 goes towards the liquidation of the claims of American citizens against Mexico.

The number of office seekers at the Capitol at the last accounts, was past enumeration; all of them, of course, in the expectation of receiving something in the shape of "spoils," from big loaves down to the small crumbs which drop from the table of Executive patronage.

The following gentlemen, it is said, will compose the new Cabinet:

Secretary of State—Lewis Cass, Michigan; Secretary of the Treasury—Howell Cobb, Georgia; Secretary of War—John B. Floyd, Virginia; Secretary of the Navy—Aaron V. Brown, Tennessee; Secretary of the Interior—Jacob Thompson, Mississippi; Postmaster General—J. Glancey Jones, Pennsylvania; Attorney General—Isaac Toucey, Connecticut.

A fatal affray occurred at Washington on the 28th of February. At the President's levee on the night of the 27th, Col. Lee, a clerk in the Pension Office, charged Mr. David Hume of Alexandria, with picking his pocket. On the next day Mr. Hume, accompanied by Col. Walker, Reading Clerk in the House of Representatives, went to convince Lee of the error of his charge. The explanation was rejected, Hume struck Lee with a stick, and in return Lee shot Hume dead. Great excitement prevailed at Washington. Lee was discharged from the Pension Office.

The report of the death of Dr. Kane, the celebrated Arctic explorer, is confirmed.

The Grand Jury have found true bills indicting Eckel and Mrs. Cunningham for the murder of Dr. Burdell. George V. Snodgrass gave bonds of $2,500 for his appearance as a witness.

"Bleeding Kansas" is again the scene of violence and outrage. A difficulty has recently taken place there, caused by the refusal of Governor Geary to appoint a man by the name of Sherrod to the office of Sheriff. Sherrod was shot dead by a friend of the Governor, and several others concerned in the affair were wounded. Serious difficulties were expected to grow out of it. A guard of U. S. soldiers had been placed about the residence of the Governor.

THE BURIAL OF P. S. BROOKS.—The body of the late Preston S. Brooks was buried at Edgefield, S. C., on the 14th. It was attended to the grave by an immense concourse of people, with a military cortege, attended by music, &c. The face was exhibited to the view of the people, and was still perfectly natural and undecayed. The Edgefield *Advertiser* says that "thousands came to look for a moment upon the strong man stricken down by the hand of death in the mid career of his earthly exertions. Not the least affecting part of this scene was the number of servants who came crowding in, by permission, to see the face of the dead once more before it went down into the grave; among them a weeping old woman, who had nursed the deceased in his childhood."

MONUMENT TO HENRY CLAY.—The Lexington Statesman says that the committee of gentlemen elected to determine on an appropriate design for the great national monument proposed to be erected to America's great statesman, Henry Clay, at Lexington, will most probably conclude their labors in time to inaugurate the monument by laying the corner stone on the 12th of April 1857 that being Mr. Clay's birth-day.

A newspaper lately spoke of "Mr. Broderick, the *screw-inventor*, from California." The editor, whose chirography must have been rather hard, had written "new Senator."—*Boston Journal.*

A Canadian paper intimates that Dr. Rae, the Arctic traveler, is having constructed at the Kingston dockyard a schooner, in which he proposes to proceed in May next to the Arctic region in search of further evidence in regard to Sir John Franklin's expedition.

The President's Inaugural Address

James Buchanan was inaugurated upon the 4th of March, with the usual appropriate and imposing ceremonies. His Inaugural Address we would give entire, but for its length, which precludes the possibility of so doing, in the limited space we have to spare.

The following are the principal points of the address:

Mr. Buchanan feels convinced, that he owes his election to the love that the people have for the Constitution and the Union, and asks their further support in maintaining these great bulwarks of liberty, and constitutional freedom.

Mr. Buchanan announces his determination to never be a candidate for re-election, and therefore has no selfish motives in administering the government, except the patriotic one, of deserving of the people, upon his retirement, the plaudit of "well done thou good and faithful servant."

Mr. Buchanan approves of the Kansas-Nebraska bill, and believes it is the exemplification of popular sovereignty.—The people of a territory, in forming their constitution, whether allowing slavery or the contrary, should be free from all foreign influence. This is the President's only allusion to the efforts of emigrant aid societies, and of slave extensionists in Kansas.

Mr. Buchanan asserts that slavery in the States is beyond the reach of any power, except that of the State in which slavery exists, and expresses the hope that the agitation of this subject is approaching its end, and that geographical parties will soon become extinct. Mr. B. thinks, however, that the danger is not quite over yet.

Mr. Buchanan speaks in strength and to the point, of the inestimable value of the Union, and the necessity of its preservation, and depicts with force the evils and terrible consequences of a dismemberment of this Republic; the home and hope of freedom throughout the world.

Mr. Buchanan says, "Our present financial condition is without a parallel in history." There is more money on hand than he hardly knows what to do with; which is very embarrassing, and recommends that the treasury be depleted, in a national way, by increasing the Navy, which, at present, is entirely inadequate for the protection of our vast commercial marine; also a reduction of the revenue is advised; no more should be collected from the people than is sufficient to support the government economically administered.

Mr. Buchanan thinks that it may be wise and proper to grant certain portions of the public lands for the improvement of the remainder, but our cardinal policy is to reserve these lands as much as possible for actual settlers.

Mr. Buchanan says that foreign emigration has done much to promote the growth and prosperity of the country.—Emigrants have proved faithful both in peace and in war, and after being naturalized, should be placed upon perfect equality with native born citizens.

Mr. Buchanan believes in a strict construction of the powers of government; the exercise of doubtful powers has been productive of evil.

Also, the President is of opinion that the government has power, and that it is a duty to build a military road to the Pacific coast.

Mr. Buchanan speaks of other nations, in a spirit of Christian benevolence. Our diplomacy should be frank, asking no more, nor taking no less, than right. We should cherish a regard for their independence—not interfere with their domestic concerns—avoid all entangling alliances—and if we want land, buy it, as we have always done, and if the area of freedom is extended in this way, it is nobody's business in particular.

NEW TEMPERANCE LEGISLATION.—The Indiana Senate have passed to a second reading a bill providing that every person who shall desire to indulge in the drinking of spiritous or malt liquors, shall procure a yearly licence or permit from the Clerk of the Court; the Clerk to keep a registry of all persons who may apply for permits. All fines for violations of the law to go to benevolent institutions; all persons who shall sell to persons who have no permission to drink to be fined in heavy sums, &c. The reading of the bill was received with considerable mirth. The author of the bill defended it on the ground that men had to get licenses to sell goods, peddle wares, and by the bill of the Temperance Committee, to sell liquors. Single men had to procure license to get married, and he was in favor of making every man, who desired to drink liquor, carry a license or permit in his pocket, which he would be obliged to show before obtaining any spiritous or malt liquors as a beverage.—*Boston Journal.*

DIABOLICAL MURDER.—On Sunday last, on a small Island about one mile South of Union City, a man was dicovered who had been brutally murdered a day or two previous. He was a Peruvian by birth, a hunter by occupation, and lived entirely alone on the Island. It is supposed that he had about $2000 in gold in his possession when murdered, which cannot be found. The body was found in a sitting position, with rope drawn tight around his neck, his arms firmly secured by cords, and bruises on his head apparently inflicted by heavy clubs. The residents of the neighborhood are greatly excited by this affair, have held several meetings and examined two or three persons who were supposed to be implicated in the transaction. A gentleman who arrived here yesterday from Union City, informs us that as yet there is no clue of the murderer.—*Morning Call.*

The gentlemen of the *Mariposa Brass Band* request us to tender their thanks to the ladies and gentlemen of Mariposa and vicinity, for their kind attendance at the Ball given for their benefit on Wednesday evening last.

NICARAGUA AFFAIRS.

The accounts brought from Nicaragua, are very contradictory. The following from the Memoranda of the *Sierra Nevada*, we take from the San Joaquin *Republican* of the 29th:

The important post of Fort Serapique was evacuated on the 14th ult. by the Costa Ricans, after a strong resistance of three days, in favor of the American volunteers, and it is generally believed that by this time they are in possession of the entire river route, together with Fort San Carlos and the Lake. They had also succeeded in capturing two more of the river steamers.

Rivas is quiet. An unsuccessful attack was made on it by the combined force of the allies on the night of the 5th; they were immediately dispersed by Gen. Henningsen's forces, and driven back with great loss. Gen. H. lost only one man. Rivas and the country generally is pefectly healthy. Sickness and fevers are scarcely known.

Much excitement prevailed in the camp of the allies, at San Jorge, owing to the withdrawal of the troops of the north in apparent disgust, leaving Costa Rica to her own resources.

Gen. Canas, second in command of the Costa Rican forces, had been charged with an attempt to meet Gen. Walker in conference, on board the English steamer Esk or St. Mary's at San Juan, for which he had been arrested by the allies Generals. The idea of routing Gen. Walker from the country seems to have been abandoned for the present, and his position, at this time, is infinitely better than ever before. The army is in excellent health, well clothed and provisioned, and the best possible feeling exists, while Rivas still remains impregnable to any force that can be raised. The surrounding country is under the continual patrol of Gen. Walker's troops.

The accounts brought by the *J. L. Stephens*, are of a very different complexion, and represent that Walker's men are deserting rapidly and accepting of the terms granted by the Costa Rican General, Mora, of a free passage to the Atlantic States. Also, that Gen. Henningsen, and several other officers of Walker's army, had thrown up their commissions.

As both sides are interested in lying about the matter, we recommend our readers to "split the difference."

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Goodwin, James		Sanders, W. W.	
Gartia, Antonio I		Smith, John	
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Harbor, B. F.		Sarver, Henry	
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Kirkpatrick, D.		Walker, C. C.	
Kiel, William		Wilder, Frederick	
Killinger, Jacob		Walters, R. L.	
Knowles, C. M.		Young, T. W.	

Persons calling for the above letters will please say they are advertised.

J. F. McNAMARA, P. M.

NEW DRUG STORE!

MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA,

Opposite the Law Office of Allison & Harris.

DR. HUBBELL & Co,

HAVE PURCHASED THE STOCK FORMERLY owned by Dr. Boyce, and made large additions to the stock of **Pure Medicines and Chemicals,** Foreign and Domestic, to which they respectfully invite the attention of Physicians and the public generally.

Besides a full assortment of the standard articles, their stock comprises ALL THE LATEST AND BEST

Family and Patent Preparations.

Including Pareira's Italian Remedy; Flower of the West, a certain cure for Chills and Fever; Osgood's India Cholagogue; Ayers' Cherry Pectoral; All the best preparations of Sarsaparilla.

Shaker's Herbs, Garden seeds and Extracts

FRESH AS CAN BE PROCURED.

☞ Prescriptions carefully Prepared at all hours.

Mariposa, April 3, 1857. ap3-tf

NEW HOTEL!

MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

MR. B. F. CLARK having taken the well known Hotel formerly kept by Mr. Wm. Phillips, is now prepared to accommodate the Traveling Public in every particular; residents, transient or permanent, with BOARD AT REDUCED RATES.

There will be no falling off in the quality of fare, or of accommodations, because of a Reduction of Prices, which are made to suit the times; but the Table will be spread with the best the market affords, and will be inferior to none in this place.

RATES OF BOARD:

PER WEEK, WITH LODGING.....$8.

SINGLE MEALS .....50cts.

Attention to the above is requested, as a reduction is made corresponding to profits of business, and the remuneration of labor.

Mariposa, April 3, 1857. ap3-tf

Insolvent Notice.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, }
COUNTY OF MARIPOSA. }

In the matter of HARVEY MARTIN, an Insolvent Debtor.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all the creditors of the said Insolvent debtor, Harvey Martin, that in pursuance of an order from J. W. Fitzhugh, County Judge, to be and appear before him in open Court, at the Court House in the town of Snelling, on Monday, the 4th day of May, 1857, to show cause if any they can, why the prayer of said Insolvent debtor be not granted, and he be discharged from all his debts and liabilities in accordance to the law in such cases made and provided. And it is further ordered that all proceedings whatever, against said Insolvent debtor herein, be stayed. By order of

J. W. FITZHUGH,
County Judge, Merced County.

Snelling, March 30, 1857.

I do hereby certify that the above Notice is a true copy of the original now on file in my office.

L. S. } Given under my hand and Seal of the Court, at the town of Snelling, this 31st day of March, A. D. 1857.

ap3 td E. G. RECTOR, County Clerk.

Stockton Advertisements--New.

A CARD.

WE would take this method to infrom our customers and the public generally, that we have the greater portion of our Goods purchased in Boston and New York by Mr. Collins, who selects them with care; one of the partners also resides in San Francisco, to forward our goods, which enables us to sell as low as any House in the State. Give us a call, and be convinced before purchasing your goods in San Francisco.

HEWLETT & COLLINS,
ap3-tf Corner Main and Hunter sts, Stockton.

Powder! Powder!

500 KEGS of Hazard Blasting Powder;
200 Kegs Mass. Mill; " "
500 cases 1 lb cans Hazard's;
500 " " " Dupont's;
500 Kegs, gun, in 12½, 6½;
500 5 lb cans. For sale by

HEWLETT & COLLINS,
ap3-tf Stockton.

Blocks and Sheaves.

JUST RECEIVED, Ex "Flying Mist," a very large and complete assortment of Blocks and Sheaves, also Block and Tackle for Hay Presses. For sale less than San Francisco prices, by

HEWLETT & COLLINS,
ap3tf Stockton.

Just Received--Manilla Rope.

50	COILS—ONE INCH;		
50	"	1¼	inches;
25	"	2	"
25	"	2¼	"
25	"	2½	"
25	"	2¾	"
25	"	3	"
25	"	3½	"
25	"	3¾	"
10	"	4	"
10	"	4½	"
5	"	5	"
5	"	6	"
5	"	7	"
3	"	9	"

For sale at San Francisco prices, by

HEWLETT & COLLINS,
ap3-tf Corner Main and Hunter sts., Stockton.

JUST RECEIVED, Ex "Morning Light, 50 FIRKINS OF CHOICE GOSHEN BUTTER, packed to order. For sale by HEWLETT & COLLINS,
ap4-tf Stockton.

Baling Rope.

JUST RECEIVED, Ex "Stag Hound," 100 coils SPUN YARN, made expressly for Baling Hay; 100 Coils Houstline for Baling. For sale by

HEWLETT & COLLINS,
ap3-tf Stockton.

Haying and Harvesting Tools.

Ex Morning Light, Charger and Wild Rover.

A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF HAYING TOOLS, &c., consisting in part of THRESHING and REAPING MACHINES, Wilcox Hand and Horse Rakes; Nourse & Co's No. 1 Snaths, Lamsons, do; Harris' Steel back Scythes; Batchelder's Spring Steel No. 1, 2 and 3 tined Forks; Wilcox Grain Cradles, Grants' do, Malack do, Grape Vine do; Horse Rakes, &c. For sale by

HEWLETT & COLLINS,
ap3-tf Stockton.

Ox Yokes.

JUST RECEIVED, Ex Wild Rover, 25 Ox Yokes No. 4; 25 do, No. 3. 50 doz. OX BOWS AND PINS, for sale by HEWLETT & COLLINS,
ap3 tf Stoccton.

SHOT—500 BAGS, Just received, Ex Morning Star. For sale by HEWLETT & COLLINS.
ap3-tf Stockton.

Dirt Barrows.

CANAL, Mining and Garden BARROWS, for sale by HEWLETT & COLLINS,
ap3-tf Stockton.

Reapers! Reapars!

SEYMOUR & MORGAN, and other patterns, for sale by HEWLETT & COLLINS,
ap3-tf Stockton.

Notice—Powder Magazine.

HEWLETT & COLLINS

ARE authorized to take charge of all POWDER landed in the city of Stockton, subject to be stored in accordance with the Ordinance of the city of Stockton.

Parties having Powder can have the same stored or taken charge of by leaving a notice at the store of

HEWLETT & COLLINS,
Corner Main and Hunter sts., Stockton.

All kinds of Powder for sale at San Francisco prices—freight added. ap3-tf

Premium Steel Plows.

JUST RECEIVED, Ex Nor Wester, a few of the celebrated Eagle No. 4, Steel Plows, with wheel, cutter, and extra points, and Eagle No. 8 with wheel cutter, and extra points.

The above named plows have been manufactured expressly for our trade. The strength, durability, and lightness of draught, with the peculiar shape of the mould board, and extra points, make them the most desirable steel plow in the State. One look at them and you will be convinced.

Plow points of all kinds, for sale by

HEWLETT & COLLINS,
ap3-tf Stockton.

J. & C. LING,

Watchmakers, Jewelers and Engravers,

Odd Fellow's Hall, Eldorado street, near Main,

STOCKTON.

HAVE ON HAND ONE OF THE LARGEST AND BEST assorted stocks of **Watches and Jewelry** in the State, consisting of

FINE GOLD WATCHES,

of every description, from the best manufacturers. ALSO—JEWELRY and SILVER WARE, of every kind, direct from New York.

Diamond Work of every description; DIAMONDS set and re-set to order.

California Work of every kind, constantly on hand, and made to order.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry of every description, REPAIRED and WARRANTED, by the most competent workmen.

Those wishing to send presents home to their friends will find it to their interest to give us a call, as we can sell as CHEAP as any House in San Francisco—one of our firm being in New York, and sending us goods direct to Stockton.

All goods warranted. Orders sent by express promptly attended to, and the money refunded if the articles sent should not suit. march27-tf

STOCKTON

CITY MILLS.

Main St., West end--Established 1850.

THE undersigned, confident from their long experience in the Milling business, of their ability to manufacture the best description of FLOUR, would invite the attention of parties wishing to purchase, to the established reputation their brand has acquired in the Southern Mines, and wherever introduced, for its purity and superior quality.

They would take this occasion to inform their friends and the public, that having added to the premises, a **Fire proof Brick Store-House,** 40x80 feet, capable of storing 600 tons grain—improved and perfected the machinery of the Mills, their increased conveniences enable them to confidently guarantee every sack of Flour branded "STOCKTON CITY MILLS."

To Merchants and Farmers, they would add, that they continue to pay particular attention to grinding all kinds of grain. In conclusion, they would respectfully refer all those unacquainted with the Mills, to the principal Merchants of Stockton and the Southern Mines. SPERRY & CO.

N. B. The Office has been removed to the New building, adjoining the Mill, where orders are solicited for FLOUR, CORN MEAL, GROUND BARLEY, SHORTS, BRAN, &c. S. & CO.

Stockton, March 25, 1857. mr27-tf

M. L. BIRD & CO.,

Manufacturers, Importers and Dealers in

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

SADDLERY AND HARNESS,

STOCKTON, CAL.,

IT IS A FACT acknowledged by all, that the BEST SADDLES in the State, are manufactured AT STOCKTON—and that M. L. Bird & Co. have the LARGEST AND BEST assortment; that they are selling off CHEAP FOR CASH.

ALSO—All kinds of Harness, Bridles, Bitts, Spurs, &c., &c. All of which they offer for sale, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, at prices to suit the times.

☞ Particular attention paid to orders from the country.

M. L. BIRD,
J. P. D. WILKINS.

Stockton, March 18, 1857. 20-tf

Garden Seeds.

A Large supply of FRESH GARDEN SEEDS, just received and for sale by

feb20. N. COHN & CO.

THE GAZETTE.

FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 3, 1857.

LOCAL.

LENGTHENING DAYS.—The increasing perpendicularity of the sun's rays, shining down about fourteen hours out of every twenty-four with unremitting gaze, without the intervening of clouds, or fogs, to shield the heads of distressed mortals, creating much thirst, which is the excuse made for drinking as much as they "plaze" of Lager Beer and other ardent spirits, and so forth. All of which indicates, among other things, the near approach of the dry season—when the habitations of men become very combustible, and the danger of fires, much increased. Be it generally known, that this town has for seven years escaped the ravages of a conflagration, while almost every other place of the size of Mariposa, has been burned, some twice and thrice. It is providential, or good luck, that we have escaped thus far; not unusual care, for that has not been exercised. Now is the time for each and all to examine his arrangements for fire, whether they are safe or not. The proprietors of some buildings about town, out of which stick stove pipes that, at a distance, look very short, should elongate them at the upper end slightly, for the public good, as it will not be pleasant for any one if the town should burn down through their negligence.

The Hook and Ladder Company have a committee of their own number, we think, to look after these matters, and also to see if those buckets, distributed a few months since, are used for the purpose intended, or as slop pails—half of the time empty. We think there is a small fine attached to delinquents, for non-compliance with this ordinance, that is, if the committee find it out. Where is the committee?

LAGER BEER.—The growth and permanency of our institutions is manifest by the necessary establishment of Picquet & Co.'s Lager Beer Brewery—a concern having the power of several horses, made out of Kavanaugh's Steam Sawmill. It runs day and night, and all its product is guzzled, in and near Mariposa. The blessings of this institution cannot be spread widely, until an addition is built to the mill; after which, beer may be sent to the unfortunate, but deserving population along the Merced River. Barley is good for horses, and horned cattle, and why, when properly prepared, (*that is made into Lager,*) should it not be nutritive to humans. It has fattening qualities, we judge, from the plethoric, puffed up appearance of several of our friends who are using it.

ACCIDENT.—On Monday last, Mrs. H. B. Whitney was severely wounded in the leg by the accidental discharge of a pistol in the hands of Mr. Charles Hurdel. The two were engaged in a business conversation at the time the accident occurred. We learn from Dr. Clarke that the wound is not of a serious nature.

Thieving will Out.

A gentleman residing in the vicinity of Sherlock's creek has given us the particulars of the recovery of some stolen dust, and the detection of the thief, which we give to our readers as we heard it.

About a year and a half ago, a purse containing some eight or nine ounces of gold, was stolen from the claim of McErlain & Haughton, under the following circumstances: McErlain who washed the dirt and kept the company's funds, had been in the habit of stowing the purse in a wall inside of the tunnel. One day he went in, as usual, to get it previous to his going to dinner—when on going to his usual hiding-place he was unable to find it. He at first thought that his partner might have removed it, but on inquiry found that he knew nothing about it. Several hired men were working in the claim, wheeling and drifting, who had plenty of opportunities of taking it if they were so disposed. Upon any one of these, suspicion might have rested. Who was suspected at the time, it matters not, now that the "murder is out." Various surmises were ventured by outsiders; some put on knowing airs, and threw out mysterious hints in one direction, and some in another; while others, unwilling to believe that any one of the party could be guilty of the act, charitably suggested that it "might have been the rats," which abound in old tunnels, and are well known to have a hankering after buckskin.

Who would have thought that the guilty *rat* would have been discovered in the person of old Abe Wilkes, a sanctimonious looking old customer, who bore the reputation of being a pattern of honesty, and was a professed follower of "Him who was meek and lowly." Although working in the claim at the time, perhaps there was not one upon whom suspicion would not have rested sooner than on him—in proof of which we have the fact that he was afterwards taken in partnership in the claim. Time wore on, and the circumstance was nearly forgotten, when the quiet neighborhood was startled by a disclosure made by a partner of Wilkes, that he was the guilty party. It seems that Wilkes being an old friend of his, had confided the secret to him—perhaps upon the principle that "confession is good for the soul." His friend, it seems from some motive, had kept it from the public until a difficulty arose between them relative to some money which Wilkes owed him and refused to pay. Finding him obstinate, he finally came out and exposed him, not only in regard to *that* affair, but also some other acts of petty thieving he had made him the confident of. A party of men went down to the camp of the accused, and through the influence of one of *Colt's persuaders,* coaxed him to shell out the amount of the missing gold, as well as the sum he owed his friend—after which they let him go. Our informant states that he was not long in making himself scarce; and we would add that he may consider himself fortunate that he did not fall into rougher hands, and fare worse.

SUPPOSED MURDER.—A few days since, some persons discovered a newly made grave, near Howard's Ranch, Burn's Creek, out of which a man's hand was protruding. This led to an examination, which showed that the man was undoubtedly murdered. The person was not identified that we have heard. This is probably the work of some prowling cut-throat, who would'nt hesitate to murder and rob for five dollars, if there was good opportunities of escape. Many a man—how many Heaven only knows—have been thus disposed of in California.

COMMENDABLE.—A correspondent of the San Andreas *Independent,* writing from Vallecito, says the town has been surfeited with humbug shows so much lately that the citizens have posted up a large placard in a conspicuous position, with the following lines inscribed thereon: "*One-horse Theatres and Infant Prodigies are requested to pass through camp.*"

Wonder if they have been inflicted with a visitation of the Forrest Juveniles?

Written for the Mariposa Gazette.

"The Last Words of De Mogyns."

(A FRAGMENT.)

FROM THE "SUGGS" PAPERS.

Note.—Count Alfred—the last scion of the noble English stock of De Mogyns, and lineal descendant of the renowned Henri De Mogyns who "came over with William the Conqueror"—fell desperately in love with a lady of "rank and fortune," who at first encouraged his suit, but finding that the Count, although of noble family, was not the heir of anything but his name and title, (which, reduced to £. s. d., amounted to a very small sum,) treated him with scorn and disdain, and finally forbade him ever to come again in her presence. The Count feeling keenly the sting of unrequited love, at first resolved to put a period to his existence by suicide, but reflecting that he would leave a stain upon the bright escutcheon of his family, finally concluded to seek a soldiers death on the battle field.

While a few applauded his spirit, a majority were of the opinion that he acted unwisely, and from that day forward the term "A Mogyns" was but another name for a fool. The term has been handed down to the present generation, and the modern phrase of "A Muggins," which is a corruption of the above, is perhaps as expressive as the original was centuries ago.

The following lines were written by a comrade of the unfortunate Count, and were handed down to posterity by an intimate friend of the "Muggins family:"

The bugle sounded for the fray,
And foremost in that dread array
Rode Alfred, on his gallant *Roan*—
A braver chieftain there was none.
His sable plume waved in the light—
His sword flashed like a meteor bright;
And as they rushed upon the foe,
Dealt death and carnage with each blow;
Beneath it's deadly stroke and thrust
Full many a warrior bit the dust.

Through smoke and flame the warriors dash—
Steel crosses steel with deafening crash—
But still, unscathed 'mid shell and shot,
He sought for death and found it not.

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At last a ball, with lightning speed,
Hurled Alfred, bleeding, from his steed,
Which, uncontrolled by spear and rein,
Now madly gallops o'er the plain.
His rider's fate, alas! 'twas sealed—
He stretched his limbs upon the field,
And the last words the warrior spoke
Were—"*Rip, old roan, the bridle's broke.*"

CALIFORNIA STEAMERS—OCEAN PALACES.—The capitalist of California have resolved to build the swiftest and grandest line of mail steamers that ever floated upon the ocean. The plans and drawings are in the hands of contractors, and it is expected that the work will be urged with vigor, under the supervision of Capt. H. Randall, who is here to act for the California company. The first two steamers will be 440 feet in length, by 55 feet beam, with saloons, dining cabins, and accommodations in the same magnificent proportions. The state-rooms for families will be three times the size of the best in the British Mail steamers, and with this enlarged convenience of space and ventilation, the uneasy jar and movement will be as nothing in comparison with ordinary steamers.

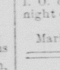
The most peculiar merit and novelty of these steamers will be found in the introduction of double sets of wheels. This is Capt. Randall's specialty, and the power and philosophy of this feature in sea-steamers has been minutely discussed among the ablest engineers and steamship builders of this city, and thus far all the lights brought to bear upon it have been in its favor. If as successful as some of our master-spirits in that line are sanguine they will be, these four wheeled cars of Neptune will make a new era in ocean navigation, and the ten year old State of California will have reason to be proud of the enterprise that made her the bold pioneer in this brilliant achievement.—*New York News, March 5th.*

☞ Our thaks are due Messrs. Gardner and Condon for Express favors.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

☞ DR. L. J. CZAPKAY.—We would direct the especial attention of Invalids to the perusal of Dr. L. J. Czapkay's advertisement; to be found in another column of this paper, to place the services of a learned and experienced Physician within their reach. So much ill has been inflicted on the human family from the pernicious and ignorant practices of empirics, that it seems as if we were fulfilling a bounden duty to make known where judicious relief can be obtained. To those unfortunate enough to suffer from the effects of sexual or private diseases, or their ill-treatment, we cheerfully commend Dr. L. J. Czapkay as a man of rare scientific and medical acquirements—possessing all the requirements, from long experience and acknowledged skill, for the successful practice of his profession. Having made sexual complaints his especial study, like the celebrated Ricord, of Paris, he is enabled to guarantee a speedy and permanent cure in all cases of private or chronic disease, whether the effect of contagion, self abuse, or loss of virility, and in order that patients at a distance may avail themselves of his advice, free consultation by letter is open to them. The knowledge we have of the numerous cures he has effected, some of which were of long standing, leads us to place much faith in Dr. C.'s efficacy, and commend him to the confidence of those in ill-health. f13-3m

F. AND A. M.



Mariposa Lodge No. 24.

REGULAR MEETINGS—The last Saturday before each full moon. SPECIAL Meetings, second Saturday thereafter.
m30-1y JOHN N. MOORE, Secretary.

I. O. of O. F.

THE Regular Meetings of Mariposa Lodge, No. 39 I. O. of O. F., will hereafter be held on Saturday night of each week.
GEO. E. GARDNER, R. S.
Mariposa, December 10, 1856. d10-tf

NOTICE.

THE subscriber is now prepared to sell Lots in the town of Johnsonville, Bear Valley.
R. A. LOCKWOOD.
Corner Charles and Fifth streets, Mariposa.
March 13, 1857. 13tf

FOR SALE.

VALUABLE PROPERTY, Situated in French Camp, near the head of the Mariposa creek, consisting of a RANCH of about 500 Acres, nearly all enclosed, a portion of which is sown with Barley. Upon the premises is a good HOUSE AND STABLE, in excellent repair; connected with which is an excellent Spring, from which water is carried in lead pipes to the Stable, House, &c.

The location is good for business, and is sold only as its present owner desires to leave the country.

ALSO—THE STORE AND STABLE situated upon Arkansas Flat. The Store is convenient for business, and has a good cellar.

The above properties will be sold low. Inquire upon the premises. BENJ. BONNET.
Mariposa, March 27, 1857. 27-3m*

Legal Notices, etc.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of an order of Sale issued out of the District Court of the Thirteenth Judicial District, held for the County of Mariposa, against the Independent Miners Water Ditch Company, and in favor of John Harrington and others, I am commanded to sell the following property, to wit: the above named Company's line of Ditch, situated in Mariposa County, and commencing about one mile above Pleasant Valley, on the right bank of the Merced-river, and running down stream along the bank of said river, to a point known by the name of Clark's Point, in the said county—thence a portion of said works crossing over the Merced river to the left bank, to a place known as Phillips' Flat, the remaining portions of Co.'s works, continuing down the right bank of the Merced river to a place known as Brown's Flat—said property consisting of the Company's line of Ditch on both sides of said river, together with all the dams, aqueducts, flumes and all other appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in any way appertaining.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I shall proceed to sell the above described property, or so much thereof, as will satisfy the Plaintiff's in their demand, for the sum of sixteen thousand dollars, (16,000,) with interest thereon, at the rate of four per cent per month, from the 28th day of February, 1857, until paid—at the front door of the Court House, in the town of Mariposa, on Saturday, the 11th day of April, 1857.

Terms of Sale—CASH.
THOMAS EARLY,
Sheriff of Mariposa County.
By JOHN N. MOORE, Under Sheriff.
Mariposa, March 19, 1857. 20-td

Sheriff's Sale.

BY Virtue of an Execution issued out of the District Court of the Thirteenth Judicial District, held for the County of Mariposa and to me directed, against the Quartz Rock Mariposa Gold Mining Company, and in favor of J. M. Aiken, for the sum of one thousand dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum, from the 26th day of August, 1854, until paid—and also for two hundred and eighteen dollars costs of suit, docketed in said county on the 16th day of February, 1857. I have levyed upon and seized, and shall expose for sale at Public Auction, at the front door of the Court House, in the town of Mariposa, on Saturday, the 11th day of April, 1857, the following property, or so much thereof as will satisfy the above judgment and cost of sale, to wit: A certain Steam Quartz Mill, and Machinery, situated on Maxwell's creek, about one mile and a half below the town of Coulterville, in the County of Mariposa, and known as the Mill of the above named company—also, one Stone House, and four Framed or Wooden Houses, situated near the above Mill, together with all other improvements belonging thereunto.

Terms of Sale—CASH.
THOMAS EARLY, Sheriff
of Mariposa County.
By JOHN N. MOORE, Under Sheriff.
Mariposa, March 19 1857. 20-td

To Whom it may Concern.

I, ALICE NICHOLS, wife of William Nichols, of the county of Mariposa, in the State of California, do hereby declare that I intend to avail myself of the benefits of an act of the Legislature of this State, entitled "An Act to authorize married women to transact business in their own names, as Sole Traders," (passed April 12, 1852,) and to carry on business in my own name and on my own account. And I further declare that the business which I intend to carry on is that of Butchering, purchasing cattle and poultry, and vending the same at public and private sale, before and after slaughtering them, as I may deem most advisable. And from this date I shall be individually responsible, in my own name, for all debts contracted by me on account of said business. And that I shall carry on said business in Mariposa county; and that the amount invested in the same is less than five thousand Dollars.

her
ALICE ✕ NICHOLS.
mark.

Witness: C. F. MACDERMOT.
Mariposa, March 16, 1857.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF MARIPOSA, SS.

This 16th day of March, A. D. 1857, before me, Alex. Deering, a Notary Public in and for said County, personally appeared Alice Nichols, known to me to be the person she represents herself to be, and made to me the foregoing declaration, and signed the same in my presence, and stated to me that she made the same freely and voluntarily for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

[L. S.] IN WITNESS whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official Seal, at the town of Mariposa, in said county, the day and year above mentioned. ALEX. DEERING,
Notary Public.
Mariposa, March 16, 1857. 20-3t

TOWNSHIP NO. 3—COUNTY OF MARIPOSA.
IN JUSTICE'S COURT.

The People of the State of California, to B. F. Morris.

You are hereby Summoned to appear before me, one of the Justices of the Peace of the Township aforesaid, at my office in Mariposa, in said County, on Saturday, the 28th day of March, 1857, at 10 o'clock A. M., to answer the complaint of Frank Williams, in an action to recover balance due plaintiff on board bill, wherein the plaintiff claims the sum of $109 50.

And if you fail to appear and answer, the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of one hundred and nine dollars and fifty cents, and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 19th day of March, 1857. ALFRED F. WASHBURN, J. P.

It is ordered by the Court, that service of the above Summons be made by publication in the *Mariposa Gazette,* and that the same be inserted once a week, for three successive weeks.

Given under my hand this 19th day of March 1857.
m20-3t ALFRED F. WASHBURN, J. P.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF MARIPOSA. } *In Justice Court, Township No. 1.*

The People of the State of California to George H. Rhodes, Greeting:

You are hereby summoned to be and appear before me, a Justice of the Peace, in and for Township No. 1, at my office, in Hornitas, at 12 o'clock M., on Monday, the 25th day of May, A. D. 1857, to answer the complaint of J. A. Summerford & Co., in an action of debt, on an open account, wherein the plaintiff claims the sum of sixty-six dollars and eighty-seven cents; and if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint, the said plaintiff will take judgment against you by default, for the sum of sixty-six dollars and eighty-seven cents, together with costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 24th day of February, A. D. 1857. JOHN BALFOUR, Justice of Peace.

It appearing to my satisfaction, from the affidavit of J. A. Summerford, one of the plaintiffs in the above case, that George H. Rhodes has departed from the State, and that the said plaintiff has good cause of action against said defendant.

It is ordered by the Court that service of the summons in the above action be made by publishing the same once a week, for the space of three months, in the *Mariposa Gazette* a newspaper published in the town of Mariposa.

Witness my hand, this 24th day of February, A. D. 1857. JOHN BALFOUR, J. P.
feb27-3m Township No. 1, Mariposa Co.

THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, }
COUNTY OF MARIPOSA. }

In the District Court of the Thirteenth Judicial District of said State.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA,

To John C. Fremont, Joseph C. Palmer, Edward Jones, Charles W. Cook, George W. Wright, Rufus A. Lockwood, John F. Johnson, Elias L. Beard, —— Clayton, J. S. Sheppard, John Anderson, John Doe, Richard Roe, Wm. Smith, James Moyle, ——Burson, Gilbert Payne, Aldrich Payne and others, *Greeting:*

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to appear and answer, in said Court, unto the complaint of the Merced Mining Company, in an action for an Injunction, requiring you to refrain from certain acts, and other relief, as prayed for in said complaint, (a copy of which is hereto annexed, filed in our said Court, within ten days after the service of this writ, if served in said County, out of the County but in the District, twenty days, and within forty days if served in any other County out of the District, or judgment by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded.

Witness, HON. E. BURKE, Judge of the Thirteenth Judicial District of said State, this 12th day of January, A. D. 1857.
[L. S.] WM. A. GUARD, Clerk.

I, WM. A. GUARD, Clerk of the said District Court, hereby certify the above to be a true copy of the original Summons, in said case, now on file in my office.

[L. S.] Given under my hand and official seal, this 9th day of February, A. D. 1857.
WM. A. GUARD, Clerk.
COOK & FENNER, Plaintiff's Atty's.
f13 S. W. INGE, Associate Counsel.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF MARIPOSA. } *In Justice Court, Township No. 1.*

The People of the State of California, to George H. Rhodes, Greeting:

You are hereby Summoned to be and appear before me, a Justice of the Peace, at my office in Hornitas, at 10 o'clock A. M., on Monday the 25th day of May, A. D. 1857, to answer the complaint of M. F. Thorn, in an action of debt on a Store account, wherein the said plaintiff claims the sum of seventy-six dollars and eighty one cents—and if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint, the said plaintiff will take judgment against you by default, for the said sum of seventy-six dollars and eighty-one cents, together with costs of suit. Given under my hand this 24th day of February, A. D. 1857.
JOHN BALFOUR, J. P.

It appearing to my satisfaction, from the affidavit of George M. Hardwick, Agent for the above named Plaintiff, that due diligence has been made to effect service of summons, and that the aforesaid George H. Rhodes, defendant, can not be found, and that the said plaintiff has a good cause of action against the said defendant. It is ordered by the Court, that service of the Summons in the above action be made by publishing the same once a week, for three months, in the *Mariposa Gazette,* a newspaper published in the town of Mariposa, County aforesaid.

Witness my hand, this 24th day of February, A. D. 1857. JOHN BALFOUR, J. P.
feb27 3m Township No. 1, Mariposa Co.

New Advertisements.

TOWNSHIP NO. 2—COUNTY OF FRESNO.
IN JUSTICE'S COURT

The People of the State of California, to Thomas Mitchell, GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to appear before me, one of the Justices of the Peace of the Township aforesaid, at my Office in Millerton, in said County, on Saturday, the thirty-first day of January, 1857, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to answer the complaint of Isaac Williams, in an action to recover money for hauling freight, wherein the plaintiff claims the sum of one hundred dollars. And if you fail to appear and answer, the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of One Hundred dollars and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 26th day of January, 1857. J. W. RANKIN, J. P.
Township No. 2, Fresno County.

It is hereby ordered that a publication of the above Summons, be made once a week, for three successive weeks, in the *Mariposa Gazette.*
J. W. RANKIN, J. P.
Millerton Feb. 24, 1857. mar20-3t

Wanted,

BY the undersigned, a number of Good Teams, to which constant employment will be given, at the New Sawmill upon Snow creek, eight miles from Mariposa. WHITE & HATCH.
mr27-tf

Mint Receipt Lost!

☞ A Branch Mint Receipt, No. 2474, dated February 29th, 1856, for FIFTY-ONE OUNCES, Gold Bullion, payable to A. Phillips, per Wells, Fargo & Co., or order, has been lost. The public are cautioned not to receive or negotiate the same, as its payment has been stopped at the Branch Mint.
ANDREW PHILLIPS.
March 27, 1857. mr27-3t

NOTICE.

PERSONS wishing to enter the County Hospital as Indigent sick, must bring a Certificate from a Justice of the Peace, or one of the Supervisors. This is according to the law laid down by the Board of Supervisors, and will be enforced.
CLARKE & HUBBELL.

☞ We have a Private Hospital where strangers can be attended to on moderate terms.
C. & H.
Mariposa, March 13, 1857. 13-3m

LOOK AT THIS!

THE undersigned having purchased of Nicholas Johnson, his entire Split Rock property, takes this method to request all persons knowing themselves to be *honestly* indebted to the said Nicholas Johnson, either by Note or Book account, to come forward and pay the same without delay, as I am much in want of the money. I am the only person authorized to receive and receipt for the same.
JOHN A. BUGG.
Split Rock, March 11, 1857. m11-4t

NOTICE.

THE Co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, at Guadaloupe and Bridgeport, under the name of D. TURNER & CO., was dissolved on the 9th instant. All persons indebted to the late firm will please make immediate payment to either of us, who will sign the name of the firm in liquidation.
DAVID TURNER,
CHAS. E. HOLT.
Bridgeport, March 10, 1857.

☞ The undersigned will continue the business in his own name, and for his own account.
CHAS. E. HOLT.
Bridgeport, March 10, 1857. mar13-4t

Special Notice.

THE undersigned desirous of settling up their business at their Stores in Mariposa and Agua Frio, at least once a year, now respectfully request all persons indebted to them to come forward and make settlement of their respective accounts immediately, as no longer indulgence can be given.

They respectfully solicit a continuance of the liberal patronage heretofore extended them.
COHEN, SAMUELS & CO.
Mariposa, March 6, 1857. m6-3m

NOTICE.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of Smith, Hunt & Co., was dissolved by mutual consent on the 25th day of November, 1856. All persons owing said firm, are hereby requested to pay the same to Smith, Dudly & Co. The business will be hereafter conducted by said firm.
WALTER L. SMITH,
GEORGE M. HUNT.
JOHN WESLEY SMITH,
RANKIN CONRAD.
Coulterville, Feb. 3, 1857. f6-3m

Notice to Creditors.

THE undersigned intending to leave California in the spring, calls upon all persons indebted to him, to come forward and pay up their accounts immediately, as no longer indulgence can be given. Settlements must be made in every instance, or his accounts will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection.

All persons to whom I am indebtedf are particularly requested to present their bills.

She subscriber has on hand an assortment of Tin ware, Stoves, &c., which will be sold CHEAP FOR CASH.
S. WORMSER.
Mariposa, January 23, 1857. ja23-tf

LUMBER! LUMBER!!

New Steam Saw Mill!

THIS MILL is located upon the head of the North Fork of the Chouchillia, eight miles from Mariposa, and is surrounded by the best timbered country between the Merced and San Joaquin Rivers.

LUMBER

Of all dimensions Sawed to order, out of the best of Sugar Pine Timber, much of which is entirely clear and of superior quality.

A large stock of all kinds of Lumber kept constantly on hand at their Lumber Yard, which will be sold low for Cash, or delivered in any accessible part of the Country.

Those wanting large lots of lumber, are particularly requested to examine their facilities for furnishing it, of superior quality at a low price.

Road to the Mill.

A ROAD has been recently built from Mariposa, by the way of Mormon Bar to their Mill, over which a load may be drawn as large as can be taken from Mariposa to any point below.

TEAMSTERS are informed that in the immediate vicinity of the Mill is excellent Grass, and Hay and Barley may be obtained at the Storehouse of the company. A share of patronage is solicited.

☞ The undersigned have leased the above Mill, and are prepared to execute orders of every description. And from our practical experience in manufacturing Lumber, can guarantee satisfaction, and hope to receive a share of patronage.

We have a Lumber Yard in Mariposa, at which may be found all varieties of lumber. One of the proprietors will be in constant attendance to wait upon customers, and receive orders to forward to the Mill.
WHITE & HATCH.
Mariposa, March 20, 1857. 20-tf

FRUIT TREES.

THE undersigned have received a large lot of FRUIT TREES, from Nurseries at San Jose. The different varieties are, APPLE, PEACH, APRICOT, FIG, and ALMOND TREES. The apple trees have been engrafted, and the peach-trees budded, and are warranted to be of the kind represented.

Some choice ROSE TREES, of the kind known as the Castilion Rose, also for sale.
WESTFALL & DeFORRIS.
Mariposa, January 30, 1857. ja30-tf

FOR SALE.

THE undersigned wishing to leave here in the spring for the Atlantic States, now offers his property, situated in the town of Agua Frio, for sale at a bargain for Cash. The said property is composed of seven buildings, all well calculated for carrying on the Hotel business. The Saloon building is now renting for $100 per month. The yard around the building is fenced in, and room enough for a large Garden. A never failing well close to the Kitchen. A private dwelling furnished throughout. Hotel part and Kitchen both furnished throughout. Two large Stables, &c. Any person wishing a bargain can see the subscriber at Agua Frio.
J. H. WHITTIER.
Agua Frio, January 23, 1857. ja23tf

FOR SALE.

I OFFER FOR SALE the following property situated in the town of Coulterville: One LARGE FRAME BUILDING used as a Store, and a BAKERY. The building has a front of 28 feet, is centrally situated, and an excellent stand for busines. That part used as a Bakery is 30 feet in depth, and has a bedroom attached. A well of water is on the premises, stoves and all the necessary utensils and fixtures for carrying on the Baking business, will be sold with the establishment. FOR SALE LOW. Inquire of
ISAAC GOLDBURG.
Coulterville, February 11, 1857. f13-3m

HAVANA SEGARS.

50,000 HAVANA SEGARS, ASSORTED BRANDS, Superior in quality to any ever offered in Mariposa—just received and for sale by
ja13-tf SULLIVAN & CO.

NOTICE.

MR. A. C. KELLY is duly authorized to settle all accounts due me at Sherlock's.
fe27-tf L. VINING.

San Francisco Advertisements--New.

HAVANA CIGARS.

B. C. & T. L. HORN,

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

HAVANA CIGARS,

AND

Virginia Manufactured Tobaccos,

No. 50, Front street, San Francisco

Have now in Store, and For Sale:

2,000,000 CIGARS!

OF THE FOLLOWING BRANDS:

Martin Dosal	Regalia Britanica
Martin Dosal	Regalia Londres
La Flor De Henry Clay	Regalia Britanica
La Flor De Henry Clay	Regalia Londres
La Flor De Henry Clay	Regalia Elegante
Leopoldina	Regalia Britanica
Leopoldina	Regalia Londres
Jose Gonzalez	Regalia Britanica
Jose Gonzalez	Regalia Londres
Las Antillas	Regalia Britanica
Las Antillas	Regalia Londres
Jacobo Yglesia	Regalia Britanica
Jacobo Yglesia	Regalia Londres
La Chica	Regalia Britanica
La Cchica	Regalia Londres
Asay	Regalia Britanica
Asay	Regalia Londres
Sevilliano	Regalia Britanica
Sevilliano	Regalia Londres
Daniel Boone	Regalia Britanica
Daniel Boone	Regalia Londres
Una Cabana	Regalia Londres
El Sueno	Regalia Londres
Fontica	Regalia Londres
Star of the West	Regalia Britanica
Star of the West	Regalia Londres
Key Brand	Regalia Britanica
Key Brand	Regalia Londres
Jose Blanco	Regalia Londres
Industria	Regalia Londres
La Ritica	Operas
La Prueba	Londres
Minna Cubanas	Regalia Londres
Legalidad	Regalia Britanico Prencados
Figaro	Regalia Britanica Prencados
La Ritica	Regalia Britanica Prencados
La Magarita	Regalia Britanica Prencados
El Sevillano	Regalia Britanica Prencados
B. C. & T. L. Horn	Regalia Britanica
B. C. & T. L. Horn	Regalia Londres
B. C. & T. L. Horn	Londres

1,000,000

Imitation Havana Cigars.

(DIFFERENT BRANDS.)

Also,

Various brands of CHOICE CHEWING TOBACCO;
PIPES, of various kinds;
MATCHES, of every description;
CIGARITOS,
PLAYING CARDS;
SMOKING TOBACCO;
SNUFF.
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TO BANKERS, ASSAYERS,

And Gold Dust Buyers!

THE HOUSE OF

HARASZTHY, UZNAY & CO.,

HAVING ESTABLISHED THEIR NEW GOLD **and Silver Refinery** on a large scale, and in a permanent manner, are now ready to receive the precious metals and prepare them for immediate Coinage, at the U. S. Mint, in the most expeditious way. They invite the attention of Bankers and Gold Dust Dealers to the fact, that their refining is conducted by a process so much cheaper and quicker than that of the Government, that they can fix a much lower rate of charges for the operation, and thus make it a great pecuniary benefit to the Depositor, both in the time of receiving his coin, as well as in the amount of the returns.

They are prepared to return either Coin or refined Bars for dust and imported Bars.

Office, No. 85, Battery st., near Commercial st.
mr27-1m HARASZTHY, UZNAY & CO.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE FIRM OF WASS, MOLITOR & CO., Assayers of Gold and Silver, is this day Dissolved by mutual consent, and their business will be settled by CHARLES UZNAY, a member of said firm, and now a partner in the House of HARASZTHY, UZNAY & CO., Gold and Silver Refiners and Assayers, office No. 85, Battery street, between Commercial and Sacramento streets.

The Assay Laboratory of the late firm having been transferred and connected with the new Refinery, the friends and depositors who have heretofore deposited with Wass, Molitor & Co., are respectfully solicited to continue their business with the new firm of Haraszthy, Uznay & Co.
S. C. WASS,
A. P. MOLITOR,
CHARLES UZNAY.
San Francisco, March 16, 1857. mr27-1m

GOODWIN & CO.

GROCERS,

119, Front Street,

SAN FRANCISCO.

OFFER FOR SALE

One of the largest and best assorted Stocks of

GROCERIES

IN THE MARKET

☞ PARTICULAR ATTENTION PAID TO ORDERS. feb27-3m

MAGNOLIA HOUSE.

(ESTABLISHED IN 1849.)

Channel St., on the Peninsula, Stockton.

THIS popular and commodious Hotel, situated in one of the most pleasant and convenient localities in the city, is constantly open for the reception of **Transient and Permanent Boarders.** The rooms are spacious, thoroughly ventilated and lighted, and furnished with a view to comfort. The dining Hall is the best in this city; where the patrons of the House may depend upon finding tables beautifully spread with the luxuries of the season. Good accommodations are afforded to families, and small parties.

We keep no Bar, but challenge any other House to produce a better table, or cleaner Beds, or better accommodations generally.

☞ Prices to suit the times.
ap3-tf. J. C. MORRIS, Proprietor.

S. H. DEBNAM,

IMPORTER,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Pure

DRUGS AND MEDICINES,

STOCKTON, CAL.,

Main street, one door West from Hunter street.

Patent Medicines;	Fancy Articles;
Perfumery;	Garden Seeds;
Chemicals;	Flower seeds;
Surgical Instruments;	Cosmetics;
Shoulder Braces,	Soaps;
Trusses, &c.;	Brushes, &c.

Balsams, &c., for Pulmonary Diseases;
Remedies for the Blood, &c.;
Liniments, &c., for Rheumatism;
Vegetable Purgative Pills;
Strengthening Plasters;
Diarrhœa Medicines;
Ointments and Salves;
Veterinary Medicines;
Remedies for disorders and affections of the Eye &c., &c.

☞ For sole, wholesale and retail, at the lowest market price, Main street, one door West from Hunter, Stockton. mar20-tf

FORD & NYE,

GENERAL COMMISSION AND

Forwarding Merchants,

DEALERS IN

FLOUR, BARLEY, OATS, AND GROUND FEED,

Levee Street, East of Centre Stret, Stockton, Cal.

☞ FORD & NYE pay particular attention to receiving Goods from steamers and sailing vessels, and forwarding same to all parts of the Southern Mines, at lowest rates of freight. mar20 tf

Mariposa Advertisements.

New Boarding House,

MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

MRS. PHILLIPS respectfully informs the public that she has opened a Boarding House in the building formerly occupied by Mr. Krafft, situated at the lower end of Main Street, Mariposa.

Gentlemen will be accommodated at her house with good boarding upon reasonable terms.

Her table will be supplied at all times with the best the market affords, and no pains will be spared to please those who may favor her with their custom.

MRS. PHILLIPS respectfully solicits a share of the public patronage.
Mariposa, February 27, 1857.

TO THE PUBLIC!

YOUR ATTENTION IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED TO THE PRESENT PRICES OF GOODS, NOW SELLING BY

SULLIVAN & CO.,

Main Street, Mariposa.

WE have recently opened a branch of our house in SAN FRANCISCO, through which we now receive our supplies direct from

New York and Boston.

By this arrangement we are enabled to sell you goods at

SAN FRANCISCO COST,

Freight added. We would respectfully solicit you to give us a call, and examine our STOCK and PRICES, previous to purchasing elsewhere, as we are determined to sell (FOR CASH) LOWER than any other House in this section of country.

P. S.—All orders entrusted to us, will be promptly attended to, and weights and measures guaranteed correct.

The same advantages are to be had at our Store at

COULTERSVILLE,

Maxwell's Creek.

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C. F. MACDERMOT, C. KERRINS. D. BRIEN.

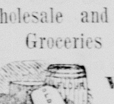
Main Street, Mariposa, and Saxton's Creek,

Have recently associated together as a trading firm, under the name of

MacDERMOT & CO.,

FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONDUCTING A

Wholesale and Retail Business in Groceries and Provisions,



SUPERIOR OLD

Wines & Liquors,

of the choicest brands;
HAVANA AND AMERICAN CIGARS,

Clothing, Boots and Shoes;

DUCKS DRILLS AND BLANKETS;

MINING TOOLS, &c.,

AND A GENERAL

ASSORTMENT OF HARDWARE.

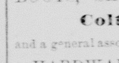
We would respectfully inform our friends and the public, that one of the firm will remain constantly in San Francisco, for the purpose of purchasing and forwarding goods, and by this arrangement we will be enabled to sell goods AS LOW AS ANY OTHER HOUSE in the Southern Mines—FOR CASH.

☞ QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS. ☜

Call and examine our stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere.
Mariposa, July 4, 1856. jy4-tf

NEW ORLEANS STORE!

B. OPPENHEIM & CO.



HAVE CONSTANTLY ON HAND a well selected stock of

CLOTHING, DRY GOODS,

BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, TRUNKS,

Colt's Revolvers,

and a general assortment of

HARDWARE AND CUTLERY,

which will be sold as cheap as they can be bought in any Store in the State.

☞ We have also established a Store in Bear Valley, where the same goods are kept, together with a fine stock of CIGARS and TOBACCO.
B. OPPENHEIM & CO.
Mariposa, March 6, 1857. m6-6m

VALUABLE PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE!

THE subscriber being desirous of closing his business and removing to the East, offers the following valuable property for sale at a bargain:

HIS PRESENT STAND, corner of Main and Fourth Streets. The Lot is 50 feet on Main street, by 120 on Fourth, together with the improvements, consisting of a ROOMY ONE STORY HOUSE, suitable for any kind of business. The location is the most desirable in the town, and will be sold entire, or divided into two lots of 25 feet front, on Main Street, by which two good Stores could be made of the present house.

—*ALSO*—

THE TWO-STORY FRAME HOUSE, WITH LOT, on Main Street, opposite Cashman & Co.'s old Store. This house is readily rented, and pays a high interest on the investment.
J. M. VANDYKE.
Mariposa, January 23, 1857. ja23-tf

☞ N. B. All persons indebted to me are requested to pay up at once, or their accounts will be placed in the hands of an Attorney for collection.
J. M. V.

MARIPOSA LAGER BEER!

Maikefer Brewery.

PICQUET & CO. : : : : : PROPRIETORS.

THE Proprietors respectfully announce to the public, that their

NEW BREWERY

is completed, and they are now manufacturing LAGER BEER of a superior quality to any ever offered in Mariposa county.

Orders for Beer will be promptly supplied in any part of the county.

☞ Families will be supplied with Beer in Bottles or Kegs, as may be most desirable.
Mariposa, March 13, 1857. mar13-tf

[REMOVAL.]

TAILORING.

NEW ESTABLISHMENT!

Main Street, Mariposa,

Removed to the building next door to Cohen, Samuels & Co.'s Brick Store, and adjoining the Lager Beer Saloon.

M. FAEBUCH, RESPECTFULLY announces to the citizens of Mariposa and vicinity, that he has commenced the TAILORING BUSINESS in all its various branches.

CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER, according to the latest Fashions, and WARRANTED TO FIT.

CLOTHES REPAIRED AND CLEANED at the shortest notice.

SEWING of every description done in good style.

☞ PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.
Mariposa, October 15, 1856. oc15-3m

DISSOLUTION.

THE Copartnership heretofore existing at Millville, in the Steam Saw Mill and Lumber business, in the name of White, Hatch & Co., is this day dissolved. Mr. J. O. Lovejoy is alone authorized to settle business of the firm.

Persons having claims against the firm, will please present them to him for settlement, and those indebted to the firm will please make settlements with him without delay. G. Green is not the Agent of the firm in the future. DEXTER WHITE,
Millville, Feb. 20, 1857-5t JAS. H. HATCH,

GARDEN SEEDS!

EVERY VARIETY—WARRANTED FRESH—just received and for sale by
NEAL & McGRANN.
Mariposa, January 30, 1857. ja30 tf

San Francisco Advertisements--New.

JOHN W. TUCKER,

IMPORTER OF AND WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

DEALER IN

WATCHES, DIAMONDS,

SILVER WARE,

Jewelry and Silver-Plated Ware,

Quartz Work of All Kinds on Hand.

WATCHES

Repaired with Care, and Warranted.

No. 125 Montgomery st.,

SAN FRANCISCO.

☞ Persons in the Interior desirous of purchasing articles of Jewelry, by forwarding a description, accompanied by the cash, can obtain them, and depend on their being of the best quality, and selected with care; and there is little doubt that this mode will prove as satisfactory to the purchasers as if the articles had been selected under their own supervision. march27-tf

HIDES,

TALLOW, WOOL &C.

THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICES

PAID FOR THE ABOVE,

BY THE SUBSCRIBERS,

At No. 46, Front street, San Francisco; and by our Agents in Stockton, I. V. LEFFLER, on Levee street, three doors below Pacific Express Office; or by Messrs KEELER & HUGGINS, Forwarding and Commission Merchants, Centre street, Stockton.

☞ Teamsters and others visiting Stockton with small lots for sale, will do well to call as above before selling.

To parties who would prefer shipping to an Eastern market, liberal cash advances will be made.

R. McKEE & CO.

REFERENCES:

Messrs. T. ROBINSON BOURS & Co., } Bankers,
" WELLS, FARGO & Co. } Stockton.
P. HUSSEY, Esq., Mariposa.
San Francisco, March 24, 1857. mr27-3m

MANSFIELD & WOOD,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

Clothing Warehouse,

Sole Agency for the Sale of

WYMAN & CO'S

SUPERFINE CLOTHING,

AND EVERY VARIETY OF GENTLEMEN'S

Fine Furnishing Goods.

ALSO,

Lorin Brook's celebrated Calf Patent Leather, Dress and Water-proof Boots, Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, etc., etc.

159 and 161, Montgomery Street, opposite Montgomery Block, San Francisco.

WM. MANSFIELD.
mr27 tf T. M. WOOD.

BANK EXCHANGE,

Corner Montgomery and Washington sts.

SAN FRANCISCO.

TORRENCE & PARKER,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

Choice Wines, Brandies, Champaignes, Liquors, Cordials &c.

Also—Billiard Balls, Cloths, Cues, Cue-Wax, Cue Points, Chalk, Pool and Rondo Balls.

☞ BALLS TURNED AND COLORED. mr27-1m

1857.

GREEN, HEATH & ALLEN,

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

VIRGINIA MANUFACTURED

.... AND ....

LEAF TOBACCO.

No. 36, FRONT, STREET, SAN FRANCISCO.

mr27-3m.

W. B. PEAKE,

COMMISSION MERCHANT,

AND DEALER IN

FLOUR, GRAIN, &C.

At No. 12, Washington st., between Front and Davis,

SAN FRANCISCO. mr27tf

RASSETTE HOUSE,

Corner of Sansome and Bush streets,

SAN FRANCISCO.

JOSEPH RASSETTE, PROPRIETOR.

THIS HOTEL is the largest in the State of California; it contains TWO HUNDRED BED ROOMS, many of them with Parlors attached, making it superior in its accommodations, for travelers.

PRICE OF BOARD—Per day, from $2 to $3 50, according to the Room occupied, giving persons who wish to economise, a chance to do so.

G. W. GANNISS, formerly manager of the International Hotel, would be happy to see his friends at the Rassette, where he has the same position, and will try to make them comfortable. m27-tf

BARRY & PATTEN'S

CLUB,

MESS AND FAMILY STORES.

FINE OLD BRANDIES—Superior to anything in the State of California;

SHERRIES—Fine old dry Sherry and full heavy bodied Sherry;

PORT—Dry Port, in wood and glass; a very desirable article for invalids;

MADEIRA—This is the ONLY REALLY PURE Madeira now in the market;

CHAMPAGNE—MOZIRET, MUMM, SCHREIDER Chas. Heitseick. Heidseick & Co., Jacquesson Fils;

CLARET—Clos de St. George, Guau-Larose, Lafitte. The above named brands are the finest imported into the United States.

SAUTERNE—Barton and Guestier;

BOSTON CRACKERS AND CONGRESS WATER;

ARRAC—Genuine Arrac for flavoring Punch;

N. B.—BARRY & PATTEN are the only authorized Agents for the GENUINE MORIZET CHAMPAGNE and the SPICE AND WORMWOOD. Either of these articles offered by any other house are base imitations.

BARRY & PATTEN,
Importers and Dealers in Wines and Liquors,
116 and 118 Montgomery streets,
mar13-tf San Francisco.

GEORGE E. BALL,

[Late of Patten's Custom House Exchange.]

Has Removed to Nickerson & Lovett's, Corner of Montgomery and Merchant streets.

SHOALWATER BAY

OYSTERS,

SERVED IN EVERY STYLE at the above mentioned place, and at the Pavillion Saloon, No. 84, Montgomery Street.

☞ Orders received for Oysters from the country, and promptly forwarded.

San Francisco, March 11, 1857. mar11-tf

NEW HOTEL!

ANDERSON HOUSE,

Corner of Main and Ferry sts. La Grange

A. B. & S. L. ANDERSON............PROPRIETORS.

☞ This house is new, and has every convenience for the accommodation and convenience of the public. mar20-tf

Miscellaneous.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S LINE.

FOR N. YORK AND NEW ORLEANS,

VIA PANAMA.

DEPARTURE FROM VALLEJO STREET WHARF.

The favorite Steamship

J. L. STEPHENS,

Will leave Vallejo Street Wharf with the U. States Mails, Passengers and Treasure, For PANAMA, MONDAY..........................April 6, 1857.

AT 9 O'CLOCK, A. M.

Passengers by this Line are landed on their arrival at Panama upon the Wharf at the Railroad terminus, by the Company's Steam Ferry Boat, and proceed immediately

By Railroad Across the Isthmus to Aspinwall.

Where there is always a Steamer waiting their arrival.

According to arrangements now completed, Passengers arriving at Panama in the morning, invariably leave Aspinwall for New York and New Orleans in the afternoon of the same day, thus affording Regularity in the through trip; a safe, pleasant and expeditious Transit from Ocean to Ocean.

THROUGH TICKETS

Are furnished, including the transit of the Isthmus.

☞ Treasure for shipment will be received on board the Steamer, until 12 o'clock midnight, previous to the day of sailing.

☞ No Merchandize freight will be received on board after 3 P. M., 4th inst., and a written order must be procured at the Company's office for its shipment.

For freight or passage, apply to

FORBES & BABCOCK, Agents,
Corner of Sacramento and Leidesdorff sts.

A choice of berths on the Atlantic steamers is secured by the early purchase of tickets in San Francisco. aug 1 tf.

California Steam Navigation Co.

STEAMBOATS

BETWEEN SAN FRANCISCO AND STOCKTON.

Steamer CORNELIA,
Capt. E. CONKLIN.

Steamer J. BRAGDON,
Capt. THOMAS W. SEELEY.

Leave Jackson Street Wharf, San Francisco, Daily, (Sundays excepted,) for Stockton, at 4 P. M.

☞ Freight and Passengers will always receive the best attention.

JOS. S. PRATT,
Agent at Stockton.
SAMUEL J. HENSELY,
mar13-tf San Francisco.

NEW ARRANGEMENT!

A. N. FISHER & CO'S

DAILY LINE

.... OF ....

STAGES

.... FOR ....

STOCKTON,

Two Routes, *viz: Old Road*

Via MOUNT OPHIR,
QUARTSBURG,
HORNITOS,
SNELLING'S,
DICKINSON'S, and HEATH & EMERY'S FERRIES

New Road, on Alternate Days,

Via MOUNT OPHIR,
HORNITOS,
PHILLIPS' FERRY,
SNELLINGS'
COXES', FRENCH BAR, and BRANCH FERRY, to

Stockton.

Hereafter the Stages will arrive in Mariposa at 9 A. M.; leaving for Hornitas the same day at 1½ o'clock, P. M.—from which place passengers will start at 2 o'clock next morning, arriving in Stockton in time to connect with the Boat for San Francisco and also with the Stages for Sacramento making the trip through in one day.

Also from Hornitas to Sonora and intermediate towns without stopping.

Office—at the office of Wells, Fargo & Co., Main street, Mariposa. J. B. CONDON, Ag't.

aug15.

READ'S

EXCHANGE, SALES,

.. AND ..

LIVERY STABLE!

MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

THE PROPRIETOR WOULD ANNOUNCE that in addition to his former accommodations, he has leased the Stable recently occupied by MANN & BROTHERS, and is prepared to accommodate the public in every respect.

Horses Bought and Sold,

HORSES KEPT BY THE DAY WEEK OR MONTH.

Horses to Let in any Number,

Many of which are suitable for Ladies' use.

☞ PARTIES FOR YO HAMITE VALLEY can be accommodated in every particular.

☞ THE STABLES are under the immediate supervision of the Proprietor, who will spare no pains to give satisfaction.

☞ THESE STABLES are situated near the Yo Hamite Hotel, and nearly opposite the Saloon of Blumenthal & Newcomb.

Mariposa, September 12, 1856 s12-tf.

LIVERY STABLE!

HORNITAS.

WHITE & BLACK.

THE subscribers have recently erected a large and commodious Stable in a convenient and central location, and are prepared to accommodate the public in every particular relating to the above business.

HORSES TO LET,

☞ HORSES KEPT ANY TIME DESIRED. ☜

The Stable is under the personal superintendence of one of the members of the firm, and careful attention will at all times be given to business.

BLACK & WHITE, Proprietors.

N. B. In connection with the above business, we have a LUMBER YARD, where a variety of Lumber may always be found. We are also prepared to take contracts for building, furnishing materials, &c.

aug29-tf W. & B.

Coulterville Livery Stable.

THOMAS SCOTT, PROPRIETOR.

THIS STABLE has recently been built, and is complete in all its arrangements. An Hostler second to none, in charge; and who will give careful attention to animals left at this place. A large number of

Saddle Horses to Let.

☞ Parties going to Yo Hamite Valley may be sure of accommodation in this respect.

☞ STABLING for Horses at all times, and on reasonable terms. Sep5-tf

Notice to Ranchers.

A LIBERAL REWARD will be giiven to any person who will restore to their owner, at the Oak Spring House, 2½ miles from Mariposa, or give account of the whereabouts of a brown Texian Cow, white under the belly, with tolerable sharp horns, brandod thus J-O (J. H. O.) Also, a red and white American Heifer, with a white head, and red spots over the eyes, not branded. Both are in very good condition, and will undoubtedly be found together. LEWIS H. P. SMITH.

Oak Spring House, January 16, 1857. jan16-tf

FOR SALE.

A BLACKSMITH SHOP, DWELLING HOUSE, AND LOT, in Coulterville. Being desirous of leaving for the Atlantic States, I offer for sale the well known Blacksmith Shop of the Shimer Brothers. The shop is in complete order, Two Forges, and all the necessary Tools and conveniences for carrying on business. The Dwelling House is large and commodious. The Lot upon which both House and Shop stands, is fenced, and of good size, and has a good well of water thereon. The entire premises will be sold at a bargain for Cash.

JAMES SHIMER.

Coulterville, Feb. 11th, 1857. f13-3m

San Francisco Advertisements.

DR. L. J. CZAPKAY'S

GRAND MEDICAL & SURGICAL INSTITUTE.

SACRAMENTO STREET, BELOW MONTGOMERY,

Opposite Pacific Mail Steamship Company's Office, San Francisco.

Established for the Permanent Cure of all Private and Chronic Diseases, and the suppression of quackery.

Dr. L. J. CZAPKAY, late in the Hungarian Revolutionary War, Chief Physician to the 20th Regiment of Honveds, Chief Surgeon to the Military Hospital of Pesth, Hungary, and late Lecturer on diseases of Urinary Organs and Diseases of Women and Children has opened his institute for the cure of all forms of private diseases, such as syphilis, gonorrhœa, nocturnal emissions, and all the consequences of self-abuse. In the first stages of syphilitic or gonorhœal diseases, he guarantees a cure in a few days, without inconvenience to the patient or hindrance to his business. When a patient, by neglect or improper treatment, has developed the symptoms of secondary syphilis, such as bubos, or painful swellings of the groins, or ulcers in the throat or nose, which if not checked, destroy the soft parts and cause the bones to mortify, separate and come away, leaving the sufferer heidous to behold; or when splotches and pimples break out upon the skin, or when he has painful swellings upon the bones, or when his sonstitution is injured so as to predispose to consumption or constitutional disease, the Doctor guarantees a cure or asks no compensation.

In rheumatism, chronic or acute, in dysentery or diarrhœa, he has safe and effectual remedies. For the treatment of the consequences of self-abuse, such as nocturnal emissions, nervousness, timidity, headache, pains in the back and limbs, with general weakness, loss of appetite, loss of memory, injury to the sight, restlessness, confusion of ideas, dislike for society, and a feeling of weariness of life, with the nervous system so exciteable that slight noises shock or startle the patient, making his existence miserable. For the above maladies the Doctor will guarantee a cure or ask no compensation. He can be consulted free of charge, and invites all to call, as it will cost them nothing, and may be much to their advantage.

A Tribute to Merited Worth.

☞ A TESTIMONIAL RICHLY MERITED.—The ingratitude of man to his fellow man is so often met with in life, that testimonials, prompted by the finer feelings of the heart, are oasis in the life of those who sacrifice their best days in philanthropic devotion to the alleviation of the ills of frail mortality. Empiricism floods the columns of our press with fraudulent and fictitious letters; singing peans to the worth of their own egotistical charlatanism. Below we append a letter from a worthy man, who, a brief period since, seemed destined to "shuffle off this mortal coil;" who looked forward to his dissolution with that pleasure which only those weighed down by the heavy hand of disease can. Contrary to hope, the ability of a skillful physician has restored him to his former health. Relieved from his terrible situation, and impelled by gratitude, he makes known his case and remedial agent, and his statement is authenticated by a Notary Public. The demands of society imperiously command its publicity; and it is given more to warn the unwary than to sound the praises of a physician of whom scores of like cases can be cited:

CERTIFICATE.

The undersigned, desirous of acquainting those who may be unfortunate enough to be similarly afflicted, where a permanent relief of their sufferings may be obtained, feels it his duty to thus publicly express his most sincere gratitude to Dr. L. J. Czapkay for the permanent recovery of his health. Borne down by the distressing symptoms incident to the vicious practice of uncontrollable passion in youth; depressed in body and mind; unable to perform even the most trifling duty imposed upon the daily avocations of life, I sought the advice of many physicians, who at first regarded my disease of trifling importance—but alas! after a few weeks, and in several instances months, of their treatment, I found to my unutterable horror, that instead of relief, the symptoms became more alarming in their torture; and being told by one that my disease being principally confined to the brain, medicines would be of little consequence, I despaired of ever regaining my health, strength and energy; and as a last resort and with but a faint hope, called upon Dr. Czapkay, who after examining my case, prescribed some medicine which almost instantly relieved me of the dull pain and dizziness in my head. Encouraged by this result, I resolved to place myself immediately under his care, and by a strict obedience to all his directions and advice, my head became clear, my ideas collected; the constant pain in my back and groins; the weakness of my limbs; the nervous reaction of my whole body on the slightest alarm or excitement; the misanthropy and evil forebodings; the self-distrust and want of confidence in others; the incapability to study, and want of resolution; the frightful, exciting, and at times pleasurable dreams at night, followed by involuntary discharges, have all disappeared; and in fact, in two months after having consulted the Doctor, I felt as if inspired by a new life—that life which but a short time ago I contemplated to end by my own hand.

With a view to guard the unfortunate from falling into the snares of incompetent quacks, I deem it my duty to offer this testimony to the merit and skill of Dr. Czapkay, and recommend him to all who may stand in need of medical advice, being assured, by my own experience, that under his care a radical and permanent cure will be effected. B. F. FILLMORE.

State of California, County of San Francisco. Subscribed and sworn before me, this 17th day of April, 1856. (Signed) JOHN MIDDLETON, [L. S.] Notary Public.

A CARD.—Prompted by an honest desire of my heart, I wish to lay before the public, a case which deserves a high commendation, not only as an act of scientific skill, but that of humanity also. About two years ago, I suddenly and from some cause unknown to me, was seized with a fit of epilepsy, which, owing to my inability to meet the expense consequent upon a thorough medical treatment, and the failures which I met with on attempting it, soon became such (as I was then led to believe) as to defy the skill of a physician. I was frequently, while in pursuit of my calling, thrown down to the ground without the slightest warning, and although insensible to the agonies, I yet despised the miseries of my life, and soon learned to look upon those who would render me assistance or shelter me from danger as enemies who sought to prolong the misery of my existence. While in this state, and having previous to my affliction, tasted the sweets of life, I once more was induced to attempt seeking aid of a physician, and by recommendation, called upon Dr. L. J. Czapkay. I told him my circumstances, and my inability to reward him for all his services, regardless of which, however, he at once undertook the case, and with the blessing of God I was once more restored to perfect health. Unable to reward him for the boon which I enjoy at present, and yet conscious of my indebtedness, I consider it due to myself and to all afflicted, to make the case public, in order that those in need of medical advice may find a physician in whom every confidence can be placed.

[L. S.] MEYER YABLONSKY.

State of California, County of San Francisco.—Subscriqed and sworn before me, this 1st day of August, 1856. GILBERT A. GRANT, [L. S.] Notary Public.

Greatest Discovery of the Age.

GREAT BLESSING TO MANKIND!—Innocent but potent! Dr. L. J. Czapkay's Prophilacticum, (self-disinfecting agent,) a sure preventive against gonorrhœal and syphilitic diseases, and an unsurpassed remedy for venerial, scrofulous, gangrenous and cancerous ulcers, fœtid discharges from the vagina, uterus and urethra, and all cutaneous eruptions and diseases. As innoculation is a preventive against small-pox, so is Dr. L. J. Czapkay's Prophilacticum a preventive against syphilitic and gonorrhœal diseases. Although harmless in itself, it possesses the power of chemically destroying the syphilitic virus, and thereby saving thousands from being infected by the most loathsome of all diseases. Let no young man who appreciates health be without Dr. Czapkay's Prophilacticum. It is in very convenient packages, and will be found convenient to use, being used as a soap. Price $5. For sale at Dr. Czapkay's Private Medical and Surgical Institute, Sacramento Street, below Montgomery, opposite Pacific Mail Steamship Co.'s Office, San Francisco.

All orders must be addressed to L. J. Czapkay, M. D., San Francisco, California.

Spermatorrhœa.

OR local weakness, nervous debility, low spirits, lassitude, weakness of the limbs or back, indisposition and incapability for labor and study, dullness of apprehension, loss of memory, aversion to society, love of solitude, timidity, self-distrust, dizziness, headache, involuntary discharges, pains in the side, affections of the eyes, pimples on the face sexual and other infirmities in man, are cured without fail by the justly celebrated physician and surgeon, L. J. Czapkay. His method of curing diseases is new, (unknown to others,) and hence the great success. All consultations, (by letter or otherwise) free. Address L. J. Czapkay, M. D., San Francisco, California.

☞ Dr. L. J. CZAPKAY'S Medical and Surgical Institute is on Sacramento street, below Montgomery, opposite Pacific Mail Steamship Company's Office, San Francisco, California. The Doctor offers free consultation, and asks no remuneration unless he effects a cure. feb13-3m

Miscellaneous.

Variety Store,

.... AND ....

OLD CURIOSITY SHOP!!

Main Street, Opposite Phillips' Hotel,

MARIPOSA.

Where can be found all sorts of useful and ornamental articles, not to be found in any other store in the County, consisting of the largest and best selected stock of

HARDWARE,
CARPENTERS' TOOLS,
BOOKS, STATIONERY,
GARDEN SEEDS,
FINE SADDLERY
WINDOW GLASS & SASH,
BUILDERS' MATERIALS, &c.,

ever offered for sale in this town.

—ALSO—

PRIME CHEWING TOBACCO, AND GENUINE HAVANA CIGARS,

received direct from a member of our firm now in Havana, who is constantly providing the best brands. Together with a fine assortment of

FANCY ARTICLES, PERFUMERY, LOOKING-GLASSES, WALL PAPER, HOLYDAY TOYS, PAINTS, OILS, TURPENTINE, PUTTY, BRUSHES, BURNING FLUID, LAMP OIL, and MUSIC AND MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS!

—ALSO—

Lamp Chimneys,	Shoe Knives,
Sand Paper,	Candlesticks,
Writing Paper,	Playing Cards,
Knives and Forks,	Butcher Knives,
Horse Combs and Brushes,	Screws and Hooks,
Brass Butts, Chisels,	Gaugers, Awls,
Saw Files, Latches,	Tap Bores, Gimblets,
Fausets, Files and Chisels,	Locks, Hasps, Staples,
Marking Gauges,	Screw Drivers,
Ham rs, Compasses,	Pincers, Paper Cutters,
Divisors,	Butts.

And a thousand other articles, too numerous to mention, all of which we offer at *San Francisco Prices*, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, FOR CASH!

Call and be supplied.

jy12-tf N. COHN & CO.

GREESMAN & COHN, Cigar and Tobacco Store, Wholesale, 88 Sacramento street, San Francisco.—Stock received direct from Havana. July 12-tf

NEW TOBACCO, CIGAR,

— AND —

VARIETY STORE!

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

Opposite Cashman's New Store.

The undersigned will keep constantly on hand and will be constantly receiving every article imaginable almost, and finest kind of

Cigars and Tobacco

in particular.

Fancy articles of every description will always be found upon the shelves of this establishment.

"A Thousand and One" would be the lowest figure that could be stopped at, were an enumeration of the great variety of goods composing our stock attempted.

We will mention a few of the leading articles—

BOOKS and STATIONERY,
HOLYDAY TOYS,
WALL PAPER,
GARDEN SEEDS,
HARDWARE,
&c., &c.

All kinds of FRUIT, NUTS, CONFECTIONARY and FANCY ARTICLES.

—ALSO—

PERFUMERY

of every description.

A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited.

nov1-tf NEAL & McGRANN

SADDLERY ESTABLISHMENT

.... OF ....

Westfall & DeForris,

Main Street, Mariposa, between Fourth and Fifth Streets.

HAVE on hand every discription of Saddlery, Harnes,s Bridles, Reins, Saddle-Trees, &c., manufactured. Material constantly on hand necessary to the manufacture of all articles in the above mentioned line of business.

Repairing done at short notice, and in the best manner.

They have also, on hand, a lot of Groceries, Preserved Meats, all of which will be sold low.

Mariposa, March 13th, 1856. m13-3m

NEW BILLIARD SALOON.

THE UNDERSIGNED having commenced the above business in the fine and spacious new House lately erected on Main street, opposite the Southern Hotel, would respectfully solicit the patronage of their friends and the public generally in and about Mariposa, for which they guarantee the

BEST LIQUORS!

.... AND ....

Billiards upon the most Superb Tables

To be found in the Southern mines.

That an establishment of this kind, well arranged and splendidly fitted up, has long been a want in this section of the country, all are well aware, and it is now hoped from the comfort and elegance of our SALOON, and our long acquaintance in Mariposa county, that we will receive the encouragement of the public. BLUMENTHAL & NEWCOMB.

☞ OUR BAR ☜

is stocked with pure and choice LIQUORS, and the best HAVANA CIGARS. m16-tf

J. A. HENRY,

BUTCHER

And Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

PROVISIONS, LIQUORS AND CLOTHING.

Miners and others are requested to call and examine for themselves before purchasing elsewhere. Nov. 1-tf.

A. W. Jee's Store!

Mormon Bar, at the Junction of Mariposa and Stockton Creeks.

THE Subscriber has on hand a complete assortment of PROVISIONS, GROCERIES, LIQUORS, AND MINING TOOLS

Also various descriptions of useful articles, which he offers for sale at the market price.

ARTHUR W. JEE.
o20-tf Mormon Bar, Mariposa Creek

E. S. HOLDEN,

Importer, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

ENGLISH, FRENCH AND AMERICAN DRUGS, MEDICINES, AND CHEMICALS.

PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, DYE STUFFS, Glass, Putty, Glue, Sand Paper, Paint, Camel's Hair and Whitewash Brushes; Cloth, Hair, Flesh, Tooth and Nail Brushes; Fine and Choice Perfumery and Fancy Goods; Pure Liquors and Wines, for Medical and Sacramental Purposes; Surgical Instruments; Trusses, Shoulder Braces, Supporters; White Lead, ground in oil; Pure and No. 1 Red Lead; Black Lead; Black Paint, ground in Oil; Lamp Black, in assorted papers; Spanish Brown; Prussian Blue Carmene, No. 1 to 6; White and Red Chalk; Chrome Green, ground in oil, and dry; Paris Green, ground in oil, and dry; Imperial Brunswick and Permanent Green; Drop Black; Drop Lake; Gold Leaf; Litharge; French Yellow Ochre; Rose Pink; Vermillion Pumice Stoue; Rotten Stone; Patent Dryer; Spanish Whiting; Spirits of Turpentine; Terra de Sienna; Turkey Umber; Copal, Japan and Demat Varnish; Verdigris; Venetian Red; Zinc Paint; Fire Proof Paint; Wood and Paper Pill Boxes; Elastic and Metallic Bougies; Elastic Breast Exhausters; Glass Breast Pipes; Breast Pumsp; Glass Tube for applying Nitrate of Silver; Domestic Instrument for self injecting, (Maw's;) Elastic and Silver Catheters; Cupping Glasses; Eye Glasses; Electro-Magnetic Battery; Glass Funnels; Gallipots; Graduated Measures; Hair Gloves; Hair Belts; Heifer's Teats; Inhalers; Issue Peas; Lint; Leeches; Medicine Chests, furnished complete; Wedgewood, Glass and Iron Mortars; Nipple Glasses; Nipple Shields; Nursing Bottles; Pessaries; Physician's Pocket Cases; Retorts and Receivers; Saddle Bags; Sheepskins; Scales and Weights; Spatulas; Sponge for Surgeons; Stomach Tubes; Stethoscopes; Suspensary Bandages; Thermometers; Pocket Instruments; Spring Lancets, silver and brass; Thumb Lancets, English and American; Scarificators; Uterine Supporters, the most approved; Syringes, from 1 to 24 ozs.; Womb Syringes, the best patterns; Forceps for all purposes. For sale by E. S. HOLDEN.

Stockton, Aug., 1855. ap18-tf

Miscellaneous.

UPPER SHERLOCK'S

STORE!

JOHN HIGMAN, PROPRIETOR,

HAS ON HAND A LARGE assortment of goods in common use, consisting in part of

Provisions, Groceries, Liquors

CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES,

A General Assortment of

The Best Liquors, &c.

☞ In connexion with his establishment, Mr. H. has a STABLE in which animals will be carefully attended to.

A share of patronage is respectfully solicited.

Sherlock's, October 15, 1856. oc15-tf

NOTICE,

TO UP COUNTRY TRADERS.

WM. C. PAYNE,

[Formerly of the firm of Payne & Co. Fine Gold gulch.]

TAKES this method of informing his friends of Mariposa County and elsewhere, that he has located himself in San Francisco, and intends to devote his time entirely to

Buying Goods on Commission,

for up country dealers All orders will receive prompt attention. The goods will be selected with care and shipped under his personal supervision.—Having had several years experience in trading in the mines and purchasing goods in this market, he feels confident that he can give satisfaction to those who favor him with their orders for goods

☞ His Office is at No. 102 Front Street, 2d floor, to which place all communications intended for him should be addressed.

San Francisco, August 27, 1856. au29-tf.

LUMBER! LUMBER!!

VAN CAMPEN & Co.'s

New Steam Saw Mill!

Situated upon Saxton's Creek, Four and a half Miles from the Upper Crossing of the Mariposa.

THE proprietors of this Mill are prepared to furnish LUMBER IN ANY QUANTITY, and of all qualities, in any part of the County, or at the Mill, as cheap as can be procured at any similar establishment in this vicinity.

☞ A large amount of Lumber is constantly on hand. Particular attention paid to orders.

☞ The country about the Mill abounds with the very best of SUGAR PINE, and those wanting EXTRA LUMBER for any particular purpose, would do well to examine their facilities for furnishing it.

VAN CAMPEN & CO.

Saxton's Creek, November 26, 1856. no26-tf

LUMBER

..AT..

REDUCED PRICES!

J. C. LAMON & CO.,

BEAR CREEK,

HAVE ON HAND AT THEIR MILL, FOUR miles from Mhriposa, a large lot of Assorted and Seasoned Lumber, which will be sold according to quality and quantity, at prices varying from

FIFTEEN TO THIRTY DOLLARS PER THOUSAND.

Orders are respectfully solicited, but it must b distinctly understood that credit cannot be given We have determined to adopt the CASH system, and sell on the most reasonable terms.

Bear Creek, July 25, 1856. jy25-tf

LUMBER! LUMBER!!

THE undersigned has leased the STEAM SAW MILL, known as OWEN & CO.'S,

Situated in Mono, Four Miles from the Town of Mariposa.

Where he is prepared to furnish Bills of all desdriptions, and of the BEST QUALITY OF LUMBER, at the shortest notice.

☞ GOOD SEASONED LUMBER constantly on hand and for sale at the Mill, or at any place where a Wagon can go at reasonable rates.

☞ Terms, Cash—or Hay and Barley at Cash prices. SAMUEL L. HOGAN,

J. N. THOMAS, Agent. Sept. 12-tf.

LADIES' AND GENTLEMENS' FURNISHING STORE.

GUARD & CO.

HAVE RECENTLY ESTABLISHED THEMSELVES IN A

NEW STORE,

At the Head of Main Street, opposite Methodist Church.

THEIR STOCK IS NEW AND FASHIONABLE, Selected with reference to the tastes and wants of this market, and at

☞ PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES. ☜

Call and examine for yourselves before purchasing elsewhere. Jy18-tf

FOR SALE.

In the Town of La Grange Stanislaus Co.

A LARGE FIRST CLASS HOTEL, (known as the La Grange Hotel) with superfor accommodations, centrally located, on the Main street, and has a good run of custom.

A. N. Fisher & Co's and B. F. Clark's lines of stages from Stockton, Sonora and Mariposa remain over night at this House, thus contributing largely to the interest of said property.

There is also a large Ball Room attached to the Hotel.

The Hotel is well furnished with Beds, Furniture, &c., which can be purchased on very reasonable terms.

For further particulars apply to Dr. G. L. Murdock, of the firm of Buck & Murdock, La Grange; or M. J. Dooly, at DILLON & CO'S Stage office, Stockton. feb6-2m

A. M. GILLMAN, & CO.,

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

WINES AND LIQUORS,

No. 82, Front Street, near corner of Clay Street,

SAN FRANCISCO.

J. E. RUGGLES, late of the firm of Ruggles & Nudd, Stockton, may be found at the above place.

San Francisco, July 22, 1856. jy25tf.

D. J. OULLAHAN

FREIGHTER AND FORWARDER,

Levee Street, Stockton.

ALL GOODS consigned to my care will be forwarded to their destination in any part of the Southern Mines, with despatch and correctness, at the lowest rates of freight, free of commissions or other extra charges aug1-tf

N. B. Storage in a fire-proof building when required, FREE OF CHARGE. Good reference given.

Charles P. Greenly & Co.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

HARDWARE,

Sheet and Bar Iron, Steel, Blacksmith's Tools, Cumberland Coal, Farming and Mining Implements, &c.

CENTRE ST., (Near Adams & Co.'s Express Office,

STOCKTON. j3-tf

COMBS'

BILLIARD SALOON!

HORNITAS, SOUTH SIDE OF THE PLAZA.

THIS SALOON is fitted up with every convenience. An excellent BILLIARD TABLE, and the BAR is furnished with the best of Liquors and Cigars.

Hornitas, Nov. 25, 1856. no26-3m

LAGER BEER SALOON.

BUCHENAU & WEBBER, PROPRIETORS.

First Door below the French Store, Main Street

MARIPOSA.

THE BAR is constantly supplied with the very best of "LAGER," and LIQUORS of every description. COFFEE AND REFRESHMENTS served at all hours. no26-tf

Miscellaneous.

GENTLEMEN,

..IT IS..

OUR BUSINESS TO PUBLISH

..THE..

IMPORTANT NEWS!

..AND..

YOURS TO PROFIT BY IT!

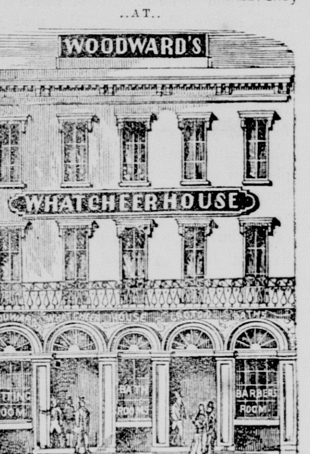
We therefore take great pleasure in being able to inform the people of California that the

Most extraordinary reduction

HAS TAKEN PLACE IN

THE PRICE OF LODGINGS,

..AT..



BURKE & Co. Stereotypers, S. F. Cal.

119 and 121, Sacramento St.,

AND 87, 89 AND 91 NEW ADDITION,

LEIDESDORFF ST.

The price of Lodging is now reduced to

☞ 50 AND 75 CENTS PER NIGHT. ☜

Lodgings in the first class Single Rooms, furnished complete, at SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS per night!

We have been given to understand that Lodgings by the week can be obtained at a very low figure.

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